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## Office Minimum Wage Attacked and Defended; Navy to Get Forrestal

The World's Day—At a Glance  
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### In New England: School Ship Nantucket Docks

A proposed minimum weekly wage of \$16.50 for experienced office workers was attacked and defended at a public hearing before the Massachusetts Minimum Wage Commission today. The wage would be for a 40-hour week. [Details and picture: Page 9.]

The Massachusetts nautical schoolship Nantucket docked at the Charlestown Navy Yard for recoling in the midst of its annual summer cruise—the first time this has been necessary. The European war has prevented the usual trans-Atlantic passage. [Details: Page 9.]

A petition calling for a referendum on a Plan E type of government (city manager and council elected by proportional representation) for Lynn, Mass., was filed by the Lynn Taxpayers' Association, Inc., with the City Clerk. [Details: Page 10.]

A water main on Huntington Avenue, Boston, between Massachusetts Avenue and Gainsborough Street, almost in front of Symphony Hall, broke shortly after noon today and allowed a jet of water to shoot more than 50 feet into the air. The water was turned off 10 minutes later. [Details: Page 9.]

### In Washington: Forrestal Named for Navy Post

James W. Forrestal, former President of Dillon, Read, who has been one of President Roosevelt's administrative assistants since the middle of June, was today named as Undersecretary of the Navy. His work will supplement that of Lewis Compton, Assistant Secretary of Navy. Mr. Forrestal is a graduate of Princeton University in the class of 1915, is married and has two children.

Postal receipts reached an all-time high of \$766,000,000 in the fiscal year ended June 30, the Post Office Department announced. This exceeded receipts for the year before, the previous high, by \$20,000,000.

Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator, announced a modification of the Civilian Conservation Corps enrollment regulations which broadened the recruiting field to permit college boys as well as the sons of families on relief to join the corps.

### Windsors to Leave U. S. Ship at Bermuda

Aboard S. S. Excalibur at Sea (P)—Reports the Duke of Windsor might visit the United States en route to his Bahama Governorship were set at rest today by announcement he and his Duchess would disembark from this American ship at Bermuda Aug. 8.

London (P)—Sir Bede Clifford, Governor of the Bahamas from 1932 to 1937 and regarded as one of the Colony's most successful executives, is reported to be returning there soon, probably to advise the new Governor, the Duke of Windsor. Sir Bede now is Governor of the Indian Ocean island of Mauritius.

### Filipinos in Hawaii Classed as Aliens

Honolulu (P)—Postmaster Albert P. Lino said he had received word from Washington that Filipino nationals in Hawaii were to be classed as aliens and fingerprinted. Such classification would make Hawaii's foreign population between 78,000 and 80,000.

### Paraguayans Vote on New Constitution

Asuncion, Paraguay (P)—Paraguay voted in a popular plebiscite Aug. 4 whether to accept the new Constitution promulgated by President Estigarribia, but will have to wait until Aug. 14 or 15 to learn the result, when the votes will be counted. A Government spokesman predicted 160,000 of the 200,000 qualified voters would record their opinion and that it would favor the new charter.

### War Summary: British Airmen Raid Nazi Bases

British raids on coastal points of the continent under German control in France, Belgium, and the Netherlands are being staged as a preventive for attacks on England. [Details: Page 4.]

Home Defense in Britain has been placed under new commanders, replacing veteran leaders with views regarded as too antiquated.

### Fighting in Libya in the Air Reported Between Italian and British

Fighting in Libya in the air was reported between Italian and British airmen, the Italians claiming to have shot down 10 British planes. The British make no mention of such losses.

Submarine loss is admitted by the Italians, making the fifteenth submarine estimated to have been lost by Italy.

Bombing of Cagliari, Sardinian port, by British airmen, who claimed to have destroyed hangars and other military objectives, was announced in London.

Cruiser Alcantara, in Rio de Janeiro harbor since Aug. 1 for repairs following a running fight with a German raider in the South Atlantic, has left the harbor.

Greece, through Premier Metaxas, declared its neutrality in the war, despite the fact that its territorial integrity is guaranteed by Britain. [Details: Page 5.]

### Rumania was Reported on the Point of Territorial Concessions to Bulgaria as a Bulgarian Delegation was Expected to Leave for Rumania to Ask for the Return of Dobruja.

Britain and Poland signed an agreement at 10 Downing Street under which the Polish Government-in-Exile receives credits to maintain Polish troops under British command. Poland's determination to fight to the end against Germany was reiterated.

German-Soviet frontier questions were under discussion by a commission representing the two countries which arrived in Moscow following negotiations in Berlin. Agreement formally settling the boundary on former Polish soil is expected soon.

Lithuania was "accepted" during the week end by the Soviet Supreme Council as the Fourteenth Republic of the Soviet Union.

Latvia's President, Karl Ulmanis, ousted when the Soviets last month adopted the country, is reported by the Stockholm Aftonbladet to have passed on following injuries received in an attack. His injury was reported July 22, but since then there had been no details. The dispatch also said Dr. Wilhelm Munters, former Latvian Foreign Minister, had disappeared.

### In Far East: Japan Moves on Indo-China

Japan's moves toward increasing its hold on French Indo-China are reported from Shanghai, though unconfirmed in Tokyo. The Japanese are reported to have demanded from the French free access to Indo-China in case of Chinese menace, and also the use of line from Haiphong to Yunnanfu. [Details: Pages 1 and 4.]

Japanese arrested by British, four in London and five in other parts of the Empire, have brought prompt protests from the Japanese Ambassador at London.

Mass meetings were being organized in various parts of Japan to arouse public opinion against Britain.

### Number of Children May Set French Wage Scale

French fathers may be paid salaries in proportion to the number of their children, the Youth Minister of the Pétain Government declared in an interview.

The Bank of France was reported placed under control of a German commissioner.

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## Draft Nearer As Committee Reports Bill

Sent to Senate by 13-3 vote — Presidential power over Guard is now in debate.

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—After three weeks of agitation the Senate Military Affairs Committee reported favorably today, by a 13 to 3 vote, the draft bill, the full title of which is the Burke-Wadsworth selective compulsory military training bill.

Thus Congress will shortly be called upon to vote upon the measure which brings the threat of war closer into the personal lives of many families than any event that has yet occurred since the rise of Adolf Hitler. The bill, which has been vastly altered and modified since it was first introduced stipulates a training period of one year for all draftees between the ages of 21 and 31 years of age. There are 4,500,000 such young men in the country, but those with dependents or who are essential to industry or agriculture would be exempted. Military officials have discussed calling up 400,000 by Oct. 1 and 600,000 more by next April under the present measure.

### President Asked Changes

As the bill was originally drawn it called for registration of all American males between 18 and 64. President Roosevelt last Friday indicated that he preferred the broader registration previously carried in order to know the extent of man-power available. The vote:

For: Sheppard (D) of Texas, Reynolds (D) of North Carolina, Elbert D. Thomas (D) of Utah, Minton (D) of Indiana, Lee (D) of Oklahoma, Schwartz (D) of Wyo.

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## Willkie Gets Farm Data From Those Who Know

Discusses problems with Governors and leaders of 10 Farm-Belt States in preparation for carrying campaign direct to Midwest as chief battleground — Opens in Wallace's own home state.

By J. Roscoe Drummond

Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 5.—Wendell L. Willkie, Indiana farmer and New York businessman, today primed himself to carry his presidential campaign into the strategic Midwest, the farm-belt area which he considers the real battleground of the 1940 election.

Entering the home state of Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture and second man on the Democratic ticket, the Republican nominee spent the entire day in conference with governors and farm organization leaders representing ten agricultural states.

Gathered in the spacious office of Iowa's governor, George A. Wilson, where four years ago President Roosevelt and Gov. Alf M. Landon, the then Republican standard-bearer, met to discuss the problems presented by the great drought, more than 60 farmers and farm experts provided Mr. Willkie with a full cross-section of opinions and proposals, complaints and criticisms, all designed to help American agriculture to better times.

"I'm going to learn all I can," Mr. Willkie said today in emphasizing that he had initiated this conference to listen, not to talk. "I want to get the viewpoint of the agricultural leaders of the Midwest and I am asking a great many questions, drawing upon my own personal experience at farming in Indiana."

"I am finding it very valuable just to sit in a room with farm authorities and talk with them. You can learn a lot that way you can't get out of manuscript."

### Absorbs Farm Atmosphere

Republican governors with whom Mr. Willkie consulted dur-

ing the day besides Governor Wilson of Iowa were Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota, Julius P. Heil of Wisconsin, Harlan J. Bushfield of South Dakota and Ralph L. Carr of Colorado.

The personnel of the conference as a whole was made up of state secretaries of agriculture, officials of farm organizations and leading practical farmers throughout this area where farm prosperity is the touchstone of political success.

The views which Mr. Willkie obtained will contribute to the farm section of his acceptance speech which is now completed except so far as it relates to agriculture. It is known that the Republican candidate believes that farm prosperity cannot be achieved apart from industrial prosperity and that his greatest contribution is to promote a national recovery which will be inseparable.

He opposes restriction on crops, in principle, just as he opposes the curtailing of industrial production. He recognizes that the Federal Government must help maintain farm prices and give other assistance to agriculture until national recovery is at hand.

Mr. Willkie's very presence in Iowa is a challenge to his Democratic Vice-Presidential opponent, Secretary Wallace, whose native state, according to the latest Gallup Poll, leans decidedly to the Republican ticket.

### Adds Iowa Crowds

While confining his conferences strictly to agriculture, Mr. Willkie paused for a little quiet campaigning, speaking informally from the east steps of the State House and lunching with Iowa Republican leaders.

However aggressive and intensive a campaign Mr. Willkie intends to conduct, not only in the farm belt but throughout the country, he is determined that it shall be an economical campaign paid for by relatively small contributions from large numbers of people.

During the course of his week-end conferences with Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, and other party leaders, Mr. Willkie flatly served notice on his campaign managers.

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## Labor Head's Wife Lends Hand



By a Staff Photographer

### Finishing Morrissey Address

Mrs. Nicholas P. Morrissey of Hyde Park (standing), wife of the President of the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor, and Miss Agnes T. Kane, secretary to Kenneth I. Taylor, Secretary-Treasurer-Legislative Agent of the Federation, complete the typing of Mr. Morrissey's annual presidential address just a few minutes before the opening of the Federation's fifty-fifth annual convention. The convention met at the Hotel Bradford, Boston.

## State Labor Backs Defense, But Wants Saltonstall Out

Support for President Roosevelt, criticism of his Republican rival, Wendell L. Willkie, and hostility to Gov. Leverett Saltonstall were voiced today by Nicholas P. Morrissey, President of the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor, in addressing the opening session of the Federation's fifty-fifth annual convention at the Hotel Bradford, Boston.

The national defense program drew vigorous backing from Mr. Morrissey, both in his Presidential address and in his annual report. "We must pledge labor's allegiance," he declared in the latter, "to a program of preparedness without which the paper-hanger from Austria may begin

getting ideas—but with which we will have success in any idle thoughts that America is next."

Taking up politics in his oral message, the Federation's President told the delegates: "There undoubtedly will be consideration given to the candidacy of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and some consideration to his opponent, Wendell L. Willkie—that money-spending representative of the utilities' interests."

"Shall we take into account the progress that labor has made during the past seven years and cast our votes in November accordingly or shall we go back to the days when the handful of Wall Street barons assured us that prosperity was just around the corner?"

"Abbreviate" Saltonstall Stay  
"We will also be obliged to cut short the political career of labor's alleged friend—Governor Saltonstall. According to action taken last year, which I presume is still the will of the trade union movement in Massachusetts, we are committed to abbreviate his stay on Beacon Hill to one term."

Preservation of organized labor in America depends on the protection of democracy here, it was pointed out by Mr. Morrissey, who is business agent of the Boston teamsters' union, whose 6,500 members make it the biggest local union within the State Federation.

Saying that this might prove the most historic convention the state Federation ever held, its president noted that American labor had watched the "Stalins, the Hitlers, and the Mussolinis annihilate trade unions in Europe."

"These tragic incidents," he continued, "must drive home to all of us the importance of preserving not only the trade union movement of America but the great democracy that allows our movement to exist."

Legislative Aims  
Legislative recommendations made by Kenneth I. Taylor, Secretary-Treasurer-Legislative Agent of the Federation in his report today, included:

Repeal of the merit rating plan for employers under the State Unemployment Compensation Law whereby through the stabilization of employment, it is proposed to save \$17,000,000 in taxes to employers, annually. The plan is working against the welfare of labor, Mr. Taylor declared, in preventing the hiring of temporary employees who later might have to be laid off.

Bring employers of a single worker into the system. At present the law begins with the employer of four. Increase in payments to the unemployed.

Return to annual sessions of the Legislature and increase in the present salary of Legislators from \$2,000 to \$3,000.

Enactment of a State wages and hours law which would cover workers in intra-state employment to correspond with the Federal wage-hour law which embraces those in inter-state commerce.

Delegates, who were expected to total 600 before the convention's close Friday, were welcomed by Mayor Maurice J. Tobin with the description of Labor as "one of the foundations of America's future economy." The Mayor predicted industrial expansion in New England resulting from improved labor conditions.

## President Asks Tight Curb On 'Fifth Column'

Stresses need for joint U. S. and State action to block subversive activities.

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—President Roosevelt called on Federal and State law enforcement agents over the Nation today to draw up a new clear-cut legal code for dealing with subversive activities, with seditious acts, with those things which slow up or break down our common defense program.

The presidential signal for a Nation-wide attack on "fifth column" activities was made in a message read to the Federal-State Conference on Law Enforcement problems of National Defense by Attorney General Robert H. Jackson, who warned officials from State Governments against a new type of "softening activity" as well as the "cruder forms of subversive effort."

The "softening activity," the Attorney General described as taking the form "of the promise of business orders and of profits if the war can be called off and business relations resumed as usual with the victor."

### Vanderbilt Presides

The two-day conference at the Department of Justice here was called by the Council of State Governments, the Governors' Conference, the National Association of Attorneys General, and the Interstate Commission on Crime, with the co-operation of the Department of Justice, Gov. William H. Vanderbilt of Rhode Island, presided.

Prior to the conference, J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, made public his annual report showing a total of 16,885 national defense cases were received between July 1, 1939 and July 1, 1940 which required investigative activity and announced FBI plans for drawing up protective systems for 12,000 key manufacturing establishments selected by the War and Navy Departments.

A primary local defense problem, Mr. Hoover told today's conference, is guarding public utilities against sabotage. Disruption of such facilities would break down the morale of any community, he said, urging immediate steps to bring local Police Departments up to date in training and equipment. Both President Roosevelt and Attorney General Jackson stressed the importance of placing spy-detecting activities in the hands of specially trained law enforcement agents.

### Training Is Stressed

"The untrained policeman is as ineffective as the untrained soldier," declared President Roosevelt. "The amateur detective soon becomes a fussy and malicious busy-body. We must be vigilant, always on guard, and swift to act. But we must also be wise and cool-headed, and must not express our activities in the cruel stupidities of the vigilante," the President said.

"This is where the 'fifth column' form the line."

The President insisted there should be no "political considerations" in the conference discussions. "The Federal Government must not and will not dictate to the states what procedure they should pursue," he declared.

Declaring that there are separate Federal and State fields of law enforcement, President Roosevelt also pointed to "many policies where joint control can be effectively worked out. I have in mind, as an example," he said, "the enactment by Congress and the State Legislatures of laws dealing with subversive activities, with seditious acts, with those things which slow up or break down our common defense program."

Detection of Spies  
Describing the detection of spies as "no job for merely well-meaning citizens, however patriotic," Attorney General Jackson discussed the job of "good reporting" done by a New York newspaper last week in revealing the activities of Dr. Gerhard A. Westrick, Nazi agent living in Scarsdale, N. Y., but at the same time pointed out that publication of the story had destroyed all hopes for counter-espionage on the part of United States Federal Agents.

"In a case of this type," he declared, "the Government would have been interested not in disclosure but, on the contrary, in the greatest of secrecy so that it might get the whole story. Effective dealing with foreign agents lies not in arrests but rather in the efficiency of counter-espionage."

### Permanent Machinery

"It is highly important that there be centralized control of activities of this kind so that your agents and ours do not become involved in a competitive race for premature disclosures," the Attorney General told the State officials.

The Attorney General expressed

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## Bolder Japan Faces Britain in Pacific

By Mallory Browne

Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Britain's policy in the Far East has been forced onto a more realistic basis by intensification of the Japanese anti-British campaign.

The arrest of four Japanese in London and five in other parts of the Empire following detention in Tokyo of a number of British subjects on the charge of spying, are surface symptoms of the renewed tension between Britain and Japan.

There is reason to believe that these signs point to the British Government's readiness to apply a stiffer attitude to Tokyo unless there are early indications of a friendlier tone on the part of the Japanese Government.

The arrests of the Japanese here, it is officially stated, were not made as reprisals. When Minoru Shigemitsu, Japanese Ambassador in London, called on Viscount Halifax, British Foreign Secretary, to protest, and complained against what he described as an "unfriendly act," Lord Halifax was understood to have pointed out that just as the Japanese authorities have assured the British Government that the arrests of the British subjects in Tokyo could not be described as unfriendly, on the same basis the Japanese could hardly apply the adjective unfriendly to the action that has now been taken in London.

The Japanese arrested, including Satoru Makihara, London manager of the big Mitsubishi concern, and Sunshuke Tanabe, acting manager of the Mitsui interests, were detained under defense regulations, and only after careful inquiries. In authoritative circles it is pointed out that it is only natural that the British government should be particularly careful in taking defense precautions as long as the Japanese Government takes such a distinctly hostile attitude toward Britain.

There is a growing conviction here that the present wave of Japanese hostility toward Britain, and for that matter toward the United States, is understood to a large extent to be due to Axis diplomacy. The presence of a Gestapo agent, Franz Huber, in the Japanese Home Office, is emphasized here as constituting evidence that Nazis have an inside track in Tokyo, and are using it to the fullest advantage.

### Would Send Destroyers

While advocating a strengthening of American defenses, particularly through the establishment of compulsory military service, General Pershing said Britain has immediate and great need of destroyers with which to ward off invasion, thus giving it time to perfect its growing defenses.

Colonel Lindbergh's address, which observers say may have a strong effect on certain segments of the public opinion, said that co-operation with Germany would be possible, but that a war between Germany and the United States would bring a collapse of western civilization. He also declared that the present war was one between the "haves" and the

Railway Linking Indo-China With Chinese Forces At Yunnanfu.



By a Staff Artist

Claimed by Japan and railroad link with China which Japanese are reported to have demanded right to use.

animosity toward Britain dates from a few days after announcement of the Anglo-Japanese agreement on closing the Burma Road is arousing pointed comment both in the press and in certain official quarters. The conclusion is freely drawn that the Japanese Government has now made it plain that Japan has no intention of doing what the British Government hoped, namely, utilizing the Burma Road concession as a chance of making a new start toward better Anglo-Japanese relations.

As Prime Minister Churchill indicated in his warning over the week end, the danger of invasion has by no means passed, and Britain is determined not to be diverted from the main task of defending the British Isles and defeating the Nazis.

Accordingly, British policy in the Pacific may be expected to continue cautious. But henceforth it is likely to be conducted with less illusion as to the possibilities of basing any real hopes of friendly relations with Japan on a policy of appeasement or one-sided concessions.

Japan's pro-Axis trend rises as Nazis gain: Page 4.



## Federal Spending May Top \$20,000,000,000 This Year

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—The Budget Bureau, adding up pyramiding defense outlays, found today that pending appropriations and contract authorizations may push this Congress' spending total above \$20,000,000,000.

This figure would not only be the largest in peacetime history, but would be more than double the amount actually spent in the last fiscal year.

Statisticians found that Congress already has appropriated \$13,824,052,124 and has authorized contracts for an additional \$1,060,487,009. These funds cover all regular governmental costs, as well as special defense items.

**Pending Items**  
Main pending items are an appropriation estimate of \$2,237,191,957 and a contract authorization request of \$2,732,960,000, both in the latest defense bill. Altogether, completed and pending expenditure proposals total \$19,920,783,090.

Extra funds to pay for extraordinary training of the National Guard and for conscription would be required if Congress approves these military measures. They probably would put the total over the \$20,000,000,000 mark.

The revenue ledger of the Government also is showing gains, although a huge deficit is taken for granted. Taxes already enacted, including the new defense levies, are expected to bring in this fiscal year (ending June 30, 1941) about \$6,367,600,000.

**Other Tax Income**  
To this may be added a substantial sum from the proposed excess profits tax, now being framed by the House Ways and Means Committee. Yield of this levy has been estimated at from \$500,000,000 to \$750,000,000 a year.

**Future Payments**  
Not even the Budget Bureau is able yet to guess what the deficit will be for this fiscal year. The apparent deficit is more than \$13,000,000,000, but the actual one may be only about a fourth as much.

Officials explained that revenues may turn out, especially if an excess profits tax is enacted, to be much larger than anticipated, and expenditures may be much smaller than they appear.

The nearly \$4,000,000,000 of contract authorizations, for instance, may not require actual cash outlay by the Treasury until a later year. Thus, the Army might sign a contract for \$100,000,000 worth of airplanes tomorrow, but the Treasury wouldn't pay for the machines until they were finished, which might be 1942 in some cases.

Even the cash appropriations are rated on an "if and when" basis. Department officials have asked for as much money as they think they will need. If all is not spent, it will either lapse or go over to another year.

Defense projects have accounted for more than half of the money so far involved in completed or pending measures. The army and navy together are booked for \$6,776,804,340 of appropriations, plus \$3,445,780,397 of contract authorizations.

Other large appropriation items include relief, \$1,157,711,357; interest on the public debt and other Treasury expenses, \$1,111,329,303; Agriculture Department and farm programs, \$1,025,158,003; Federal Security Agency (mostly social security), \$866,693,400; executive and independent offices, \$1,121,679,403.

### Roosevelt Warns Against Bigotry

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—President Roosevelt declared yesterday that racial and religious discrimination imperils the fundamental rights of all Americans.

He sent this statement to the Committee of Roman Catholics for Human Rights, observing its first anniversary:

"Freedom of conscience, as written into the Federal Constitution, through the wisdom and foresight of the fathers, has been a guarantee of peace and happiness during all our life as a nation. Any selfish group which would discriminate against any of our fellow citizens because of race or religion would thereby endanger the fundamental rights of all.

"Only by common recognition of the principle that all men are entitled to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness can we attain the national unity which is essential to the maintenance of the democratic way of life and those cherished institutions which it fosters and encourages."

### Meteor Showers Due Aug. 10 to 13

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5 (P)—This is the month for meteors, and the American Meteor Society asks star-gazers to watch the heavens closely during the nights of Aug. 10 through 13 and report meteor counts to the society's observatory at Upper Darby, Pa.

Those will be the best nights for meteor showers, the Society says, and the best observation period is between midnight and dawn.

Dr. Charles P. Olivier, Meteor Society President, advised that about 70 meteors an hour may be expected after midnight "on the best night," probably Aug. 11, and 40 to 50 on the other two.

### Two White Russians Interned in Britain

LONDON, Aug. 5 (P)—The Evening News reported today that Rear Admiral Nicholas Wolcott, former officer of the Imperial Russian Navy and once Naval Attaché in London, and his daughter, Anna, have been interned under defense regulations.

Scotland Yard officers arrested Miss Wolcott, the newspaper said, and later arrested the Admiral at a Russian tea room which his wife operates.

It was not disclosed whether Miss Wolcott was the same Anna Wolcott, a Russian dressmaker, who was linked with Tyler Kent, former employee of the United States Embassy who was charged last week under the Official Secrets Act.

## Getting Ground Work of Flying



Wide World

### Students of Aviation Engineering

Not like the general run of students, these men, all of whom have some engineering degree, are paid \$200 a month while taking a 16 weeks' course at the California Institute of Technology.

They are all long past the student age and are studying aviation engineering under John Kachig Minasian, instructor in engineering drafting, and James V. Crawford, instructor in descriptive geometry, both of the Institute's faculty. The men in the picture are shown in the drafting room where they spend three hours daily of the study period. The course is an experiment of the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation which has put \$150,000 into it. There are 126 students and all have been assured of a job with Lockheed if they want it, at the end of the course.

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### WPA Alien Purge Brings Dismissals To 429 Workers

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—The Work Projects Administration reports that its purge of aliens, Communists and Bund members has resulted in dismissal of 429 persons.

In compliance with a Congressional act, all WPA employees have been required since last July 1 to sign an affidavit that they are not Communists, members of a Nazi Bund, aliens, or affiliated with organizations advocating the overthrow of the United States Government.

"The fact that only 429 out of more than 1,650,000 failed to sign such affidavits confirms our belief that only a minute percentage of WPA workers was affected by these provisions," Commissioner F. C. Harrington said in a statement. "Wherever there is evidence that a false affidavit has been presented, we will submit that evidence to the proper authorities for prosecution."

Louisiana and New York each reported 49 dismissals, the largest number in a single State. Forty-six of the New York dismissals were in New York City.

No dismissals were reported from Rhode Island, Delaware, Maryland, South Carolina, Kansas, Montana, and Utah. Mississippi and Hawaii also reported no dismissals as yet, but final reports have not been received from them.

### Negroes in Georgia To Strive for Vote

LOG CABIN CENTER, Ga., Aug. 5 (P)—Negroes searching for methods to raise the economic level of their race in the United States denounced at a meeting here "exclusion of the black man from the ballot" by such political barriers as "white primaries and the poll tax."

Assembling in this rural community where the parents of some of them had been slaves, representatives of church, business, educational and fraternal organizations drafted a resolution for the State Central Planning Commission urging "that all Negroes exercise every legitimate means to obtain the right to vote as all honorable citizens should."

### Relief Boosts Aid Sent Abroad By U. S. Charity to 8-Year High

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Relief expenditures boosted American religious and charitable contributions to foreign countries last year to approximately \$43,000,000, the highest for any year since 1931.

Announcing the figure, the Commerce Department said \$4,000,000 of relief funds were sent to China, Poland, France, and other European countries, besides the usual expenditures for missions, rehabilitation, and resettlement.

A study of institutional contributions by August Maffry, of the Department's finance division, was made public showing that since early in 1919, Americans have sent \$1,270,100,000 abroad. This included vast sums sent to Europe to feed and rehabilitate World War victims. In 1919, for instance, the sum was \$140,000,000.

Contributions abroad declined yearly from 1919 until they reached \$26,700,000 in 1935, then turned gradually upward.

Mr. Maffry estimated that the combined contributions of all Protestant churches in the United States totaled \$599,800,000; non-sectarian contributions, including the Red Cross and the postwar Hoover relief agency, \$43,400,000; Jewish charities, \$149,300,000; and Roman Catholic gifts, \$89,600,000.

In 1939, the division was: Protestant, \$16,000,000; Jewish, \$13,900,000; non-sectarian, \$10,700,000; and Roman Catholic \$2,400,000.

The destination of these charities varied with the groups. The bulk of Protestant contributions went to Asiatic countries, with additional large amounts to Africa and Latin America. Roman Catholic gifts were split about two-thirds to Europe and one-third to Asia. Last year, Jewish charities were devoted almost exclusively to furnishing relief and resettlement funds for Jews leaving Germany, Poland, and in a few cases, to Latin America.

The non-sectarian gifts, except for Red Cross shipments to Europe and China, were spread widely over the globe.

### Army Officer Urges One-Man Command

FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., Aug. 5 (P)—Maj. Gen. James K. Parsons, commanding officer of the Third Corps Area, has proposed a "one-man command" to control the Nation's armed forces.

Addressing 231 businessmen-recruits ending a month of military training here, General Parsons criticized conscription of "unusually numbers," rapped "alarmists" and asserted "we need criticism of our defense plans."

"The crying need," he said, "is for a national defense plan complete in every detail. Such a plan must have as an integral part a statement of just what we want to protect. It is obvious that only a relatively few problems can be brought before the President. Thus, the authority to co-ordinate every military branch must be placed in one assistant to the President."

### 'Mercy Ship' Cargo Coming Back in Part

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—The Red Cross "mercy ship" McKeesport will bring back part of the \$1,000,000 cargo she took to Europe when she arrives in Baltimore this week.

The vessel, originally scheduled to go to Bordeaux, was shifted to Bilbao before she left New York June 15. A week after reaching Bilbao, the McKeesport was sent to Marseille to unload her relief cargo.

Red Cross officials there withheld at least 25 trucks and 25 station wagons and small ambulances. These are being brought back to the United States and will be shipped to England.

**'Shirley Temple' Rules Virginia Auto Traffic**  
RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 5 (P)—Wags lost no time in giving a name to the new building of the Virginia State Highway Department, under direction of its commissioner, Henry G. Shirley. It's "Shirley Temple."

### Relief Boosts Aid Sent Abroad By U. S. Charity to 8-Year High

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Relief expenditures boosted American religious and charitable contributions to foreign countries last year to approximately \$43,000,000, the highest for any year since 1931.

Announcing the figure, the Commerce Department said \$4,000,000 of relief funds were sent to China, Poland, France, and other European countries, besides the usual expenditures for missions, rehabilitation, and resettlement.

A study of institutional contributions by August Maffry, of the Department's finance division, was made public showing that since early in 1919, Americans have sent \$1,270,100,000 abroad. This included vast sums sent to Europe to feed and rehabilitate World War victims. In 1919, for instance, the sum was \$140,000,000.

Contributions abroad declined yearly from 1919 until they reached \$26,700,000 in 1935, then turned gradually upward.

Mr. Maffry estimated that the combined contributions of all Protestant churches in the United States totaled \$599,800,000; non-sectarian contributions, including the Red Cross and the postwar Hoover relief agency, \$43,400,000; Jewish charities, \$149,300,000; and Roman Catholic gifts, \$89,600,000.

In 1939, the division was: Protestant, \$16,000,000; Jewish, \$13,900,000; non-sectarian, \$10,700,000; and Roman Catholic \$2,400,000.

The destination of these charities varied with the groups. The bulk of Protestant contributions went to Asiatic countries, with additional large amounts to Africa and Latin America. Roman Catholic gifts were split about two-thirds to Europe and one-third to Asia. Last year, Jewish charities were devoted almost exclusively to furnishing relief and resettlement funds for Jews leaving Germany, Poland, and in a few cases, to Latin America.

The non-sectarian gifts, except for Red Cross shipments to Europe and China, were spread widely over the globe.

### Railway Express Hours Cut Urged

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—An Emergency Fact-Finding Board, set up by President Roosevelt to study a threatened strike of 30,000 union employees of the Railway Express Agency, recommended Aug. 3 that the company reduce the employees' basic work week from 48 to 44 hours.

The Board was named by the President July 10 after the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks ordered a walkout on the ground that the Express Agency refused to lower the work week as it had done previously for 5,000 of its vehicle drivers belonging to the teamsters' union.

The granting of the 44-hour week to the drivers, the Board told the President, "precipitated a problem which could be solved only by extending the same work week to a considerable part of the balance of its employees who in May, 1940, totaled about 43,000."

The Board said it did not find that the shorter work week should be granted for employees of the general office and accounting division or the trained messengers.

**Dr. Cook Was Center Of Arctic Dispute**  
Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
LARCHMONT, N. Y., Aug. 5 (P)—Dr. Frederick Cook, one-time Arctic explorer, who passed on here today, came into prominence in September, 1909, through an announcement that he had discovered the North Pole, only to be shorn later of all honors that had been heaped upon him because of his claim to that achievement.

Five days after Cook announced that he had discovered the Pole a similar announcement was made by the late Admiral Robert E. Peary, the claims of the rivals precipitating one of the most spectacular and widespread controversies in the long search for the top of the earth.

Admiral Peary's data was accepted by the National Geographic Society, and he was thereafter accepted as the discoverer of the North Pole.

**Germans Destroy Cavell Monument**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—Miss Carolyn R. Nash, a volunteer ambulance driver for the American Hospital near Paris, arriving aboard the Yankee Clipper, reported the Germans had destroyed the monument to nurse Edith Cavell in the Tuilleries Gardens, Paris.

The arrival of the plane with 25 passengers marked the 200th clipper crossing of the Atlantic. Radio greetings were exchanged near the Azores with the Duke and Duchess of Windsor aboard the Excalibur.

## Co-operation Held Vital In Social World

ESTES PARK, Colo., Aug. 5 (P)—The world faces a crisis in human relations, Prof. Arthur H. Compton of the University of Chicago said here, because man's moral vision is out of adjustment with a technical world in which co-operation is necessary.

The Nobel Prize physicist addressed the Estes Park Institute of Human Relations, sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, of which he is Chairman.

"Our churches and schools have the most important task in the world, that of inculcating among peoples the desire to work together," he told an audience of 600 persons.

Dr. Compton said that the United States should not imitate the way of the dictators. He contended that the method of terror and destruction of human freedom are bound to destroy a nation.

"Integral dissections are weakening. Those factors which strengthen a group such as good organization, technical knowledge and the will to work for the good of the state must be used to advance the development of all nations," he declared.

"Our rapid advance in technology has disrupted our social life but is a source of great power when properly co-ordinated with our needs. Our many racial and cultural groups may be in conflict; but because of their diverse cultures they can likewise give a richness to life that is unknown outside America."

### Jackson Denies Hatch Loopholes On Contributions

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Attorney General Jackson challenges the opinion of Henry P. Fletcher, General Counsel for the Republican National Committee, that the Hatch Act's limitations on campaign contributions did not apply to those made to state or local committees entirely divorced from the National Committee.

In a statement, Mr. Jackson said: "No plans of this nature for avoiding the limitations of the Hatch Act are accepted or approved by the Department of Justice."

Mr. Fletcher made his opinion public yesterday, after having been seen by Republican National Committee and state chairmen. He said that provisions of the Hatch Act limiting personal campaign contributions to \$5,000 did not embrace contributions made to a "state or local committee or other local organization."

In view of that, Mr. Fletcher said, "we see no objection to any donor giving any amount he sees fit" to one of those groups. He added, however, that such groups should be "entirely divorced from the Republican National Committee and should operate by authorization of the respective state committees."

### Roosevelt Is to Get Glass' Vote as Duty

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Senator Carter Glass (D) of Virginia discloses that he will vote for President Roosevelt despite his opposition to a third term.

The Senator, who placed James A. Farley's name in nomination at the Democratic convention, also has declined an invitation by Senator Edward R. Burke (D) of Nebraska to testify before a committee which will consider Senator Burke's proposed constitutional amendment to prohibit a third term, although Senator Glass said he would vote for it in the Senate.

"I stated in my speech in Chicago my position on a third term," Senator Glass was quoted by the Washington Post by telephone from his home in Lynchburg, Va. "However, as a member of that nominating convention, I feel in honor bound to vote for its nominee. This I propose to do."

### Seattle Plans

SEATTLE, Wash.—Doors are open here to evacuate children 6,800 miles away and homes ready long before there is much prospect of receiving them. Both "enquiries" at the office of the British Consul and "inquiries" at headquarters of American groups, have brought a deluge of telephone messages, letters and visits from those eager to extend hospitality.

One answer is extended to all—that a branch of the United States Committee on the Care of European Children, of which Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is honorary President and Marshall Field Administrative Chairman, is being organized locally and will care for the distribution and placement of children.

All are assured that there is no great hurry as eastern homes will undoubtedly accommodate those arriving first. "Specified" children, however, will come straight through to the West Coast. But for unspecified children, just plain evacuees, there is also a warm welcome and preliminary work has been done in selecting and choosing proper homes.

### Johnson Calls Himself Another 'Purge' Victim

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Senator Hiram Johnson (R) of California, says President Roosevelt used "the same old stiletto" in declaring that Senator Johnson could not be considered a Liberal or Progressive Democrat.

"This is just the same old purge; the same old sham expressions of regard and affection," Mr. Johnson said.

## Rules for Mail to War Camps Made Available to Red Cross

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Detailed instructions on how Americans may send individual packages to prisoners of war in any belligerent nation have been forwarded to 3,700 American Red Cross chapters throughout the Nation.

Red Cross officials point out that regular parcel post service by the U. S. Post Office has been suspended to most of the belligerent nations, but that the handling of these packages is possible under international treaty. The packages will be carried postal free by the U. S. Post Office, in an arrangement worked out between the Department, the State Department and the American Red Cross.

Before a package will be accepted by the Post Office, it must be marked with the following information: name, rank and number of prisoner; designation of prison camp, country in which camp is located.

The packages may not exceed 11 pounds in weight and may contain the following: Food, clothing, games, musical instruments, books, and toilet articles, including only soap, towels and tooth-brushes. They may not contain arms or utensils, such as large pocket knives and scissors; pharmaceutical products of any kind, such as toothpaste, vaseline, hair lotion, mouth wash or perfume; ink, pens, paper, notebooks or postcards; newspapers or doubtful printed paper; compasses, maps, cameras, field or magnifying glasses, electric lights, inflammable products, candles, parts for telephones or radios.

## U. S. Reveals Evacuee Rules; Financial Guarantee Needed

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—The Rules Committee of the House of Representatives in Washington has voted to permit early consideration by the House of the Hennings Bill to permit American vessels to evacuate children from war-torn Europe, regulations for the emigration of children from the British Isles as required by the American Consulate General in London were announced in detail here today.

The instructions stress that the "special procedure" is established for use during the present emergency only.

The British applicant must file with the American Consulate valid British passports, two birth certificates, five photographs, a cable dispatch from an American relative or friend guaranteeing support of the applicant while in the United States, a cable from an American banker of the relative or friend sponsoring the application stating the bank's opinion that the sponsor is financially able to care for the applicant, a visa fee of \$10 and parents' written consent to the evacuation of their child or children.

The United States Committee for the Care of European Children, of 215 Fourth Avenue, now engaged in a \$5,000,000 nationwide fund raising campaign, announced that hundreds of women in the British Isles were being selected as transatlantic escorts for children being registered for evacuation to the United States. According to present arrangements, there will be one shipboard "mother" for every 15 children. The escort service is being paid for by Americans in the British Isles.

Coincidental with announcement of the departure from this country of additional relief workers for France, Clarence E. Pickett, Executive Secretary of the American Friends Service Committee in Philadelphia, appealed to American organizations holding funds for relief in France to release their money immediately in order that food can be bought in Europe to relieve the great need there.

"Our workers anticipate a serious food shortage in the very near future," Mr. Pickett said, "and at the earliest possible moment we will purchase supplies in this country, but granted the most favorable circumstances, we cannot hope for American food to arrive in France earlier than October or November."

Reports from French representatives of the Friends Committee disclosed that approximately 1,000,000 refugees had disregarded official orders not to leave the Southern Departments until arrangements had been completed for their return home and that they were massed on the frontier just south of the German-occupied zone, where bridges were down and communications cut and were starving. Mr. Pickett said his organization had dispatched immediate foodstuffs and notified the American Red Cross. The situation among children in Marseille also was characterized by the Quaker organization as "critical."

The Allied Relief Fund of 57 William Street revealed that a total of \$713,000 in cash contributions had been received.

Charles V. Vickery, President of the Golden Rule Foundation, who returned to New York yesterday from Havana, announced the organization of a campaign for the relief of child war sufferers in Europe and Asia among the delegates of the Latin-American republics at the Pan-American Conference of Foreign Ministers. Each of the Latin-American republics will set up committees to handle contributions to the campaign characterized as a "Golden Rule Christmas Gift," he said. The campaign will be conducted by the contribution box on every dining table in the Hemisphere with the intent that a coin a meal be collected for the fund.

## Britain Offers Aid to Labor In Spite of War's Demands

LONDON—In its handling of the labor issue Britain is proving that war, despite its constant demands for great personal sacrifices, need not impede the progress of the arts of government and of social service.

In his few weeks of office Mr. Ernest Bevin, Britain's strong-man Minister of Labor and former Trade Union leader, has already accomplished much of importance to the future of British social practice. The fact that he has at the same time been the sponsor of vital and imposing schemes for the solution of immediate wartime labor problems has tended to obscure the significance of his progressive moves.

Particular attention has been paid here to the Bill which Mr. Bevin recently presented to Parliament for the extension of the Unemployment Insurance Acts to cover "white-collar" workers and for an all-round increase in jobless benefits. This is indeed considered one of the most important single reforms of labor legislation that has been made for some years; it is one for which many leading thinkers as well as labor leaders have constantly been working. It is, however, only one of a number of reforms for which the new Minister of Labor is responsible. Another is the organization of an entirely new section of the Ministry of Labor which is to devote itself to welfare questions, such as the better use of workers' leisure and the improvement of factory conditions.

**To Help 'Little Man'**  
Meanwhile, Mr. Bevin has disclosed to The Christian Science Monitor that "in his spare time" he is engaged in the task of finding a means whereby the sacrifices of the nation in men can be in some part repaid by a new and truly national scheme for the training of skill and dispensing of culture.

"The world war Army was one that cut right across the whole working class population," Mr. Bevin explained to the writer. "This time the system of calling up by progressive age groups, with the young men going first, will take a gap right out of society. It is not just individuals who will be affected but the whole nation, for society loses not only the men but their culture, learning, skill. One of my tasks is to study to find how, somehow, in training, in education, I can do something to bridge that gap."

Of less national significance but of more immediate importance is the extension of the Unemployment Insurance scheme. For many years the "little man," the clerk in the black coat, the suburbanite, has been nobody's concern but his own. While Parliament had built up for workers with small wages an elaborate system of national social service, the black-coated worker has had to finance his periods of unemployment out of his own pocket, to find himself a new job as best he could by pounding the pavements. Now, however, all persons with incomes up to £420 a year are to be included in unemployment insurance and unemployment assistance schemes. This means that they will be able to have something to fall back on when times are bad. And it also means that they, too, will be able to take full advantage of the nation-wide network of Employment Exchanges.

**Expect Fund to Grow**  
Under the new Bill benefit payable to insured persons is to be increased by 3s. per week, from 17s. to £1 for men and from 15s. to 18s. for women. To meet the cost of increased benefits, weekly contributions are to be increased by 1d. each, from workers, employers and the government. It is estimated that the new rates and the inclusion of the new class of non-manual workers will increase the income of the Unemployment Fund by nearly ten million pounds a year. If employment continues to maintain a high level it is obvious that the fund will grow considerably. Mr. Bevin hopes that the fund will be big enough fully to meet post-war conditions, when unemployment, even if only temporarily, is sure to raise its head.

As far as the black-coated workers are concerned the "new deal" does not become operative for about a year. They are to begin paying their contributions in September but since they must acquire the usual qualifications of thirty weeks' contributions before being entitled to benefits, they will not be able to take advantage of their right to the dole until 1941. One of the main reasons for bringing this new class of worker into the scheme is the possibility that as more and more of the nation's wealth is demanded to buy war material and less and less is left for the purchase of ordinary consumer goods, many non-manual workers will face periods of unemployment. It is not expected that anyone will remain jobless for long but it is felt that the nation must help these persons during the transition period between the old job and the new.

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## Government Eases Access To Federal Youth Groups

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Two federal youth agencies, heretofore serving destitute youth only, have opened their programs to young people wanting to acquire a national defense skill.

Transformation of the CCC from a relief agency into a "true service organization," furnishing employment and training to young men whose families are in the moderate income group, was announced here today by Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator.

At the same time, the National Youth Administration announced that to become eligible for employment on NYA projects, young people need only to be certified as "in need of employment, work experience, and training." The financial need of their entire family no longer will be considered.

New recognition was also given vocational training programs by the Wage-Hour Division with the issuance of special regulations authorizing employment of student-learners at wage rates lower than those applicable under the fair labor standards law, if such employment is in connection with a bona fide vocational training program.

Liberalization of CCC entrance requirements was announced by

Mr. McNutt in a letter to James M. Landis, Dean of the Law School of Harvard University. The change, he explained, was ordered as a means of providing useful employment and vocational training for young men whose parents, while not on relief, are unable to give their sons the training needed to provide them a start in life.

Qualified young men from families on public relief rolls will have the first chance in each community to enroll in the corps. When this group is exhausted, enrollment will be open to boys from families eligible for relief and the next order of preference will go to youths from families whose incomes are below the normal standard for the community. If these three groups do not exhaust the State's quota, then enrollment will be open to boys whose families are in the moderate income group.

Young people from 18 to 25 who are out of school and unemployed will be eligible for NYA as in previous years, but exclusion of family needs in eligibility requirements will make it possible to reach marginal groups and to select youth for NYA projects on the basis of their need for employment and their suitability for the type of work provided by the project.

## Mississippi Pays as It Goes And Shows a Yearly Surplus

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

JACKSON, Miss.—Mississippi for eight years has been operating on a "pay as you go" basis, and closing each year with a surplus.

Painstaking trimming of operating expenses here and there, new sources of revenue provided by a state sales tax of 2 per cent, a tobacco and amusement tax, and a revision of the privilege tax code has enabled the State to close the present fiscal year, and the 1938-40 biennium, with an estimated surplus of between \$1,800,000 and \$1,900,000 in the general fund, after all obligations are met. The State Treasurer, Lewis May, also reports that tax collections for the first six months of this year are running consistently above collections for the same period last year.

In 1932 the State's indebtedness had gone into the millions, the treasury was almost void of funds and state warrants were heavily discounted, if cashed at all, and there was no demand for Mississippi state bonds. But the concerted effort of each administration and legislature since 1932 has enabled Mississippi not only to pay off each day's operating expenses, but has paid off state bonds as they have matured, with regular interest payments, and also has been able to call and pay off bonds before maturity, and to sell refunding bonds at attractively lower interest rates, thus saving thousands of dollars in interest. During the years of depression the Legislature has kept busy along

other lines, besides balancing the budget. Many state laws have been revamped from time to time.

The eight-year period has seen much of the state governmental machinery overhauled and among the many changes were enactment of more co-operative agricultural laws. The bank supervision law was renovated, the state penal system reorganized, educational laws amended, a homestead and livestock exemption law passed. Since 1935 a social security law providing for emergency relief and old age assistance has been in operation. The state of finances is now such that an increase in the individual allotments for old age assistance will start in the fall.

The report of State Treasurer May lists a balance of \$2,507,121 in the general fund at the close of the fiscal year, June 30, and estimated that between \$1,800,000 and \$1,900,000 of this would prove to be a net surplus for the biennium, after the final month of the fiscal year's bills were paid from appropriation balances to the credit of the state departments.

The Tax Commission reported total collections of taxes it administers from Jan. 1 to June 30, to amount to \$6,932,688, a substantial increase over the \$6,177,090 collected during the first half of 1939. Sales tax collections for the same period totaled \$3,748,006 compared with \$3,150,144 collected during the first six months of 1939.

## 45,000,000 Radio Sets Now in U. S.; More Than 9,000,000 Sold in 1940

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5 (P)

—Neville Miller, President of the National Association of Broadcasters, told the organization's 18th annual convention today that the past year had been radio's greatest, with sales of over 9,000,000 radio sets bringing the national total to 45,000,000.

"With less than 7 per cent of the world's population, our country has nearly half of all radio-casting stations and receiving sets," Mr. Miller said in his annual report.

"The American people want radio sets more than they want anything else in the line of electrical equipment," he said. "More sets were sold than electric irons, toasters, or washing machines, or vacuum cleaners, or any other electrical device."

Sharp notes of discord came from behind the scenes today as the men who run the Nation's radio stations got down to business to decide upon the price of music and who will supply it for broadcasting.

The battle over music involved the powerful Association of Composers, Authors and Publishers (A. S. C. A. P.), and the newly-

formed Broadcast Music, Inc. (B. M. I.).

A. S. C. A. P.'s request for an increase in music rights contract rates, which would cost the radio-casters \$8,750,000 next year—almost double that of the last year—was behind the controversy.

N. A. B., which includes the larger broadcast chains, has threatened to leave the A. S. C. A. P. fold and get its music from Broadcast Music, Inc., which it was instrumental in forming.

Should this occur, the radio would carry the songs of men now practically unknown, because most of the "name" tunesmiths are A. S. C. A. P. men.

## Veterans' Group Out for Willkie

CHICAGO, Aug. 5 (P)—A group of present and past officers of four major veterans' organizations announces the formation of the Willkie War Veterans National Committee to boost the election of Wendell L. Willkie, Republican Presidential nominee.

A committee of three has left for Washington to confer with Representative Joseph W. Martin, Jr., (R) of Massachusetts, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, and planned to discuss the campaign with Mr. Willkie soon.

They are Harry W. Colmery of Kansas, former National Commander of the American Legion; James S. Van Zandt, Pennsylvania, three times National Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Edward F. McGinnis of Chicago, former Commander of the Cook County Council of the American Legion. Headquarters were set up in Chicago.

Mr. Colmery declared in a statement that Mr. Willkie "knows war, like the rest of us, and wants no more of it."

"But, if war comes to us, it will be comforting to know that we have in the White House, as Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy, a man who was an officer in active service in the Great War."

## Exmoor, Escaping War, Makes Port at N. Y.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—The American Export Line freighter Exmoor—last American ship to leave the Mediterranean after Italy entered the war—docked in Jersey City Aug. 3 with 33 passengers, all but three, American citizens.

## Mothers of America Still Serve



Harold Lambert

### A New Epoch for Women in the New World

## America's Mothers Find Wide Field of Service

"Polling the People," when done by R. H. Markham, is not a poll for political purposes. In a series of 27 articles written especially for The Christian Science Monitor, this native Kansan mingles with the common people, talks with them—bus drivers, waiters, clerks, farmers, housewives—and records sympathetically their opinions, problems, ambitions, and achievements. Following is the fourth article.

By R. H. Markham

Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

ST. PAUL, Minn.—On a recent Saturday evening I was a guest at a Washington home, where one of America's 30,000,000 mothers was a fellow guest. Her husband was a very good position in the government service and the family lives in one of Washington's most desirable suburbs.

But somewhat before midnight that evening, she said, "It's time for me to go home, for I'm a working woman."

I was surprised and suggested, "Tomorrow's Sunday! Nobody has to work."

"That's my busiest day," she objected. "What's your job?" I asked.

"Paper route," she replied. "Seeing I was completely puzzled, she explained, 'My 12-year-old son has undertaken to deliver a leading Washington morning paper to our neighborhood, and on Sunday his load is so heavy that I usually give him a lift with the car.'"

"Does your boy have to get up early every morning?" I asked. "At six o'clock."

"And who awakens him?" "His mama," the lady said, laughing.

### Helping Small Son

After that, this gracious mother seemed to me more gracious than ever. To her other work of looking after five children and a husband, she is helping her small son in an enterprise that will strengthen his character and enrich his personality.

Mrs. D. is a widow. She works in an office, as stenographer, accountant, secretary, doorkeeper, receptionist and many other things. Being an American, she wears stylish clothes, keeps her hair well curled, looks young, and appears prosperous. I thought, indeed, she was a woman of leisure, doing office work just to help a cause.

One morning when I had occasion to visit her office, I said, "I feel like celebrating today, my son just got a graduate fellowship in a good university. It's a load off my mind."

"I'm celebrating, too," she said, and offered me a piece of candy. "My son also got a graduate fellowship, that came as a gift from heaven."

"I didn't suppose you had a son that big!" I exclaimed.

"A daughter, also, and three tiny grandchildren," she went on. This charming, cheerful office girl was a grandma! She had had to support two children at their most expensive period of development. She carried that enormous heavy burden so cheerfully I had thought her life a picnic.

### The "Ticket Lady"

From a very pleasant town in southwest Virginia I had to go to another small town, and was fearful lest the fast train wouldn't stop at both stations. I asked the baggage man about it, and he said,

"Ask the ticket lady. She'll get it done. She starts and stops the trains around here!"

I supposed that only a large, ferocious Amazon would have force enough to make fast trains stop, so was delightfully surprised to find a lithe, mild, blonde, little lady at the ticket window. She promised to stop all the trains I wished, and seemed so friendly that I dared ask her if a pretty 12-year-old girl studying in her office was her daughter.

"No, my granddaughter," she replied. "We're very good friends, and she sometimes stops here on the way from school."

"And how long have you been a railroad woman?"

"More than 30 years; that's how I supported my granddaughter's mama."

Traveling through a midwestern farm area, I stopped at a pretty, well-painted farmhouse to see an old lady friend. It was evening as I drove into the yard between the house and barn. I honked and after a while a sun-bonneted lady about 70 years of age emerged from the cow shed. The years have accumulated ample sustenance for her, and when I asked her why she keeps on working, she replied, "I prefer to stay here. I don't want to burden my sons; I would feel restless in town. I like my cows and chickens. There's another old lady nearby. When we like, we get into my auto, she pays the gas, and we drive where we please."

### Back to Milking

We said, "Goodby," and Grandma Amy, an exceedingly well-poised, well-informed, refined lady, went back to finish her milking.

The swish, swish of the lacteal jets she squirted into her foaming pail mingled in a vast milky vesper, softly vibrating over all the Middle West. For the Mississippi valley is still a land of farms, millions of women still wear sun-bonnets, and thousands still milk cows.

However, most American women do not milk cows or hoe potatoes any more. They work at other things. They have left the farm and moved into cities, but many move into work.

If we should ask our 30,000,000 home-makers how many go forth daily to toil, a full eighth would answer, "I." More than 12 per cent of American mothers would say, "We are earning or helping earn the money that supports the family."

And they might add, "The number of working women is constantly increasing. Forty years ago three and three quarters millions were gainfully employed, now fully 12 million. A third of our five million widows and divorced women perform daily tasks for gain."

"Among our 8,000,000 clerical workers are almost as many women as men and a fifth of those must care for families. Of the 2,000,000 women workers in factories, a third support or help support families. No less than 35 per cent of the million business women help keep their families going."

If you should ask our 26,000,000 children over four years of age going to school, "Who are your teachers?" most would reply with women's names. America entrusts most of its boys and girls to women.

### Women at Counters

If, following the westward march of morning light, you should watch the opening of all our banks and stores, insurance offices, government bureaus, and

other institutions, you would see women at more than half the counters, and at almost half the desks.

If some week day you'd loiter in any shopping district in our land, you'd see that women do America's buying. If you were so indiscreet as to inquire how they were paying, you'd see they have their own checkbooks or are custodians of the family purse. And you could not but note that the steady improvement in beauty throughout the land, in vehicles, clothes, homes, lawns, furniture, parks, and general appearance, is largely due to the good taste of women. They give tone here, as in no other land.

Now let us call Sarah, the wife of Abraham, Cornelia, the mother of the Gracchi, Joan, the savior of France, good Queen Beth of England, to come with all their sisters of other lands and times, and tell us if women ever lived as well as this before. Their unanimous answer would be, "America created a new epoch for woman, placing her on a height that had never been attained."

Let's call, too, the spirit of history, who sees, weighs, and appraises all things, and ask him, "Is the American woman measuring up to her unmatched responsibility?"

"That I shall not say," the spirit would answer, "but I may declare that never did America so much need good mothers, to keep it calm in a maelstrom of cares, to inspire purity amid corroding coarseness, to lead the people from self-indulgence back to their duties, and to teach true love for the whole American people."

## President Makes Choice of 68 Names For New Naval Ships Under Contract

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Secretary of the Navy Knox announced Aug. 3 the names of 68 naval vessels for which contracts have been awarded. The names were selected by President Roosevelt.

The three aircraft carriers in the group will be known as the Bonhomme Richard, the Intrepid, and the Kearsarge.

Thirteen cruisers were named for cities, in accordance with long standing Navy policy, as follows:

The Amsterdam, named for Amsterdam, N. Y.; Santa Fe, for Santa Fe, N. M.; Tallahassee, for Tallahassee, Fla., the second vessel so called; Birmingham, for Birmingham, Ala., second vessel so called;

## Aid to Farming To Continue At Muscle Shoals

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MUSCLE SHOALS, Ala.—Electric furnaces glow and turbines throb at a plant which has again come into the national spotlight.

Tons of phosphates for demonstration farms in 20 States are turned out at the Muscle Shoals plant, but preparations are being made for production of explosives there, for national defense, if needed.

Naturally the question has arisen as to whether the Muscle Shoals operations can be used for both purposes. David E. Lilienthal, one of the three directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority, answers it like this:

"The TVA munitions plant at Muscle Shoals stands as a symbol of the democratic conception of defense. It was built for war. But in the years of peace it has served the basic needs of a peaceful people. It is producing a phosphate plant food, an aid in the restoration of our soil fertility, a source of strength to the people who live on the land, a safeguard to our supply of foods and fibers."

"Now once more war is abroad in the world, and the plant is available for adaptation to the production of explosives. Yet at the same time, faithful to the democratic conception that we must conserve our basic resources for the ultimate strength of all our people, the production of plant food can continue. Detailed plans are ready so that concentrated phosphate needed for the land can continue to be produced at Muscle Shoals without jeopardizing the output of war materials. So far as TVA can influence the decision and the results, you may be confident that the bill for our defense will not be paid this time as it was 20 years ago by the exhaustion of the soil."

"While this country prepares, if necessary, to meet force with force, we can go on with our program of soil enrichment, making our people secure against the hazards of the future, restoring the land from which we draw our health, our strength, our very life."

That means the testing and demonstrating of TVA's experimental phosphates by 30,000 farmers will go on.

## Three Men Buy 'Hole in Ground,' Find Prosperity

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—This is the story of how three men, in straitened financial circumstances, worked their way into a prosperous business within a few months.

Only a few months ago Ben Morucci and Edward Cidiciu were Work Projects Administration workers and Anthony Dinard was working on a Mahoning County construction gang. Now they are operating a big quarry, full blast, producing thousands of feet of cut stone each month and getting their homes, machinery, and quarry out of debt.

The men, tired of a meager existence, signed a lease for the quarry, which had been abandoned—and hardly was the ink on the lease dry before they were in business up to their necks. Last January, their corporation was nothing but a hole in the ground and a name—when they submitted bids for stone for some building jobs.

They had expected to get one small job from the bids. Instead they got them all—and they were unprepared to handle the contracts. They mortgaged their homes, borrowed from friends, and bought equipment—a derrick, hoisting motor, air compressor—and dug in.

By slim margins, they met the demands until they could hire more help and buy more equipment. Today the men are on a fair way to prosperity.

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## R. A. F. Raids Nazi Bases To Nip Invasion at Source

LONDON, Aug. 5 (P)—The British Air Ministry reported today and nightly raids on military objectives in France, Belgium, the Netherlands, and Germany in an attempt to disorganize any invasion before it would be launched.

Hangers, runways, and grounded aircraft have been sprayed with bombs and machine-gun fire from low altitudes in daylight attacks on air bases in France, Belgium and the Netherlands, the Ministry said.

Chief targets of night forays were said to have been German air fields and oil depots at Emden, Hamburg, and elsewhere.

Meanwhile increasing Nazi activity at French channel ports kept England on the alert as tides and weather combined to offer Germany more favorable conditions for attacks.

**New Leadership**  
The British Government, meanwhile, moved to strengthen Britain's defenses by placing the Home Guard—now 1,500,000 strong—under new leadership, replacing with younger officers a handful of veteran generals, whose ideas of war were described as "highly antiquated."

At the same time, the civilian population surrendered its traditional August Bank Holiday to speed the work of producing munitions and vital war supplies.

Royal Air Force pilots told of machine-gunning German troop concentrations at the French port of Abbeville, of bombing truck convoys and an armored train, and of blasting barges near Gravelines and Dunkirk.

An Air Ministry communiqué said naval buildings at Kiel were set afire, airmen pounded heavily, and numerous hits scored on vital synthetic oil plants in the German industrial area.

**Attack on Ruhr**  
Railway communications in the Ruhr and Rhineland were reported systematically attacked.

The Admiralty announced torpedo-carrying swordfish planes had scored direct hits on hangars at the Italian airfield at Cagliari, Sardinia, during the fleet operations in the Mediterranean Aug. 1 and 2.

Two of the planes were reported lost in the attack but the British said that three Italian craft had been shot down by naval dive bombers in attacks on the British fleet.

The sinking of the trawler Cape Finisterre after it had been attacked by four warplanes was reported by the Admiralty.

Its announcement indicated the little fishing boat had been serving as a naval auxiliary.

**Nazi Air Raids**  
BERLIN, Aug. 5 (P)—The German Air Force carried out a number of raids on British aircraft positions, oil tanks, and shipyards Aug. 4, the High Command announced.

In reconnoitering operations over England and Scotland, a communiqué said that a merchant ship was sunk at the mouth of St. George's Channel, about 65 miles southwest of Pembroke.

During the night, the High Command said, German warplanes bombed oil-storage tanks and shipyards at Sheerness, in the Thames Estuary. Antiaircraft positions were attacked at Thames Haven, in the Thames Estuary, and North Killingholme, in the Humber River Estuary.

**Italy Tells It:**  
ROME, Aug. 5 (P)—Fourteen British planes were shot down in Africa yesterday, the Italian High Command announced today, claiming that 10 were downed in an air battle which resulted when the British attempted to bomb Libyan troops on the march near the Egyptian frontier.

The High Command said the 10 British planes downed included seven of the Gloucester type and three Blenheims.

Italy meanwhile acknowledged the loss of another submarine.

British sources said that approximately 15 submarines, 1 cruiser, 3 destroyers and 1 store ship of Italy's navy had been destroyed since the war in the Mediterranean began May 10. Britain has reported eight Italian submarines destroyed "East of Suez" where Italy sought to cut British Empire connections in the Red Sea area. Italy was authoritatively reported to have had 104 submarines at the start of the conflict.

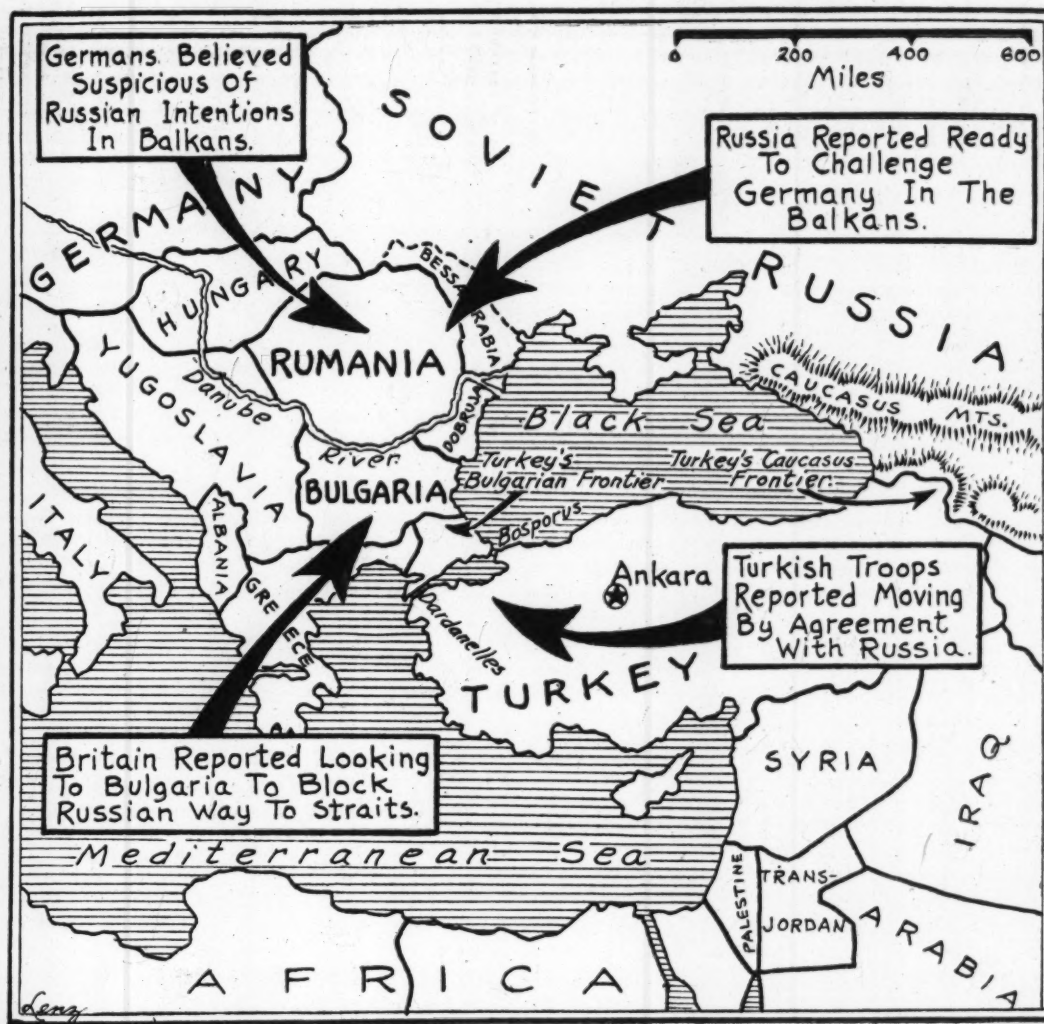
**British Tell It:**  
CAIRO, Egypt, Aug. 5 (P)—Three Italian planes were shot down in a big air battle in Eastern Libya Aug. 4 in extensive operations in which only one British plane is missing, a Royal Air Force communiqué reported today.

The air fight apparently was the same one mentioned by the Italian High Command which declared that 10 British planes were shot down in a "most lively fight" with a "large enemy formation" near the Egyptian frontier.

The British declared their reconnaissance aircraft, accompanied by four fighters, met 50 Italian fighters in Eastern Libya and shot down two of them, while a third Italian plane was the victim of antiaircraft fire of its own ground forces.

The communiqué also reported that British fighters had intercepted a formation of Italian

## Checkerboard of the Balkans



**Powers Arrange Strong Pawns in Play for Place**  
Important moves believed to be impending in the Balkan area indicated on map. Turkey is said to be lining up with Russia in the event of Germany intervening in Southeastern Europe. While Britain is reported to be encouraging Bulgarian resistance to any advance by Russia, the possibility of Britain finding itself in a Russo-Turkish combination is being discussed.

**Turks and Russians Agree On Defense of Frontiers**  
By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor  
ISTANBUL, Turkey, Aug. 5.—A tacit Russo-Turkish accord has now been arrived at under which Turkey has agreed to shift its military concentrations westward in exchange for a Russian guarantee of inviolability of the Caucasus frontier, The Christian Science Monitor learns from a high diplomatic source in Ankara.

Turkey now has more than 1,000,000 men under arms, despite the heavy calls on labor to reap a highly flourishing harvest, and today's official denial of the news agency story that many troops had been sent to the Caucasus frontier seems to give some backing to reports that Moscow has been to meet the possibility of a Russian change should Moscow attempt via Bulgaria to pierce the corridor to the Dardanelles and so obtain full control of the Black Sea.

At the same time, should Moscow forget the Caucasus border guarantee, authorities here are ensuring that adequate Turkish troops will be employed along this most easily defended line.

Britain's three months' calculated wooing of Bulgaria, together with Sofia's disappointment at the results of Premier Philoff's visit to Berlin is considered here appreciably to have strengthened the Russo-Turkish Balkan position, and reports of London's sympathy for the Bulgarian claims to the Dobruja held by Rumania, have been keenly felt here.

**Turkey Still Pro-England**  
If Bulgaria's new attitude is maintained it will greatly neutralize Ankara's initial concern at the occupation of Bessarabia, as it would place the barrier of a more amenable Bulgaria between Russia and its dreams of controlling the Straits.

There is no visible reorientation of the Turkish policy toward present conflict. Turkey is still considered solidly pro-England and latest reports here envisage possible Turkish co-operation toward a vast changed situation on the continent to Britain's ultimate advantage.

The presence in Berlin of Franz von Papen, German Ambassador to Turkey, is held by some to show the Reich's anxiety at the Russo-Turkish relations, and this is considered to offset to some extent Mr. Molotov's retrospective innuendoes regarding Turkey and the supposed anti-Russian incidents.

**Hansson Assails Swedes Expecting Trend to Fascism**  
STOCKHOLM, Aug. 5 (P)—Prime Minister Per Hansson rebuked those who expect a swing toward Fascism in Sweden as a result of closer economic relations with Germany.

"Our people have manifested their maturity for co-operation in democratic forms," Mr. Hansson said. "As to our internal life, there is no need of any new orientation, but only for intensification and improvement of methods of work suitable to democratic life."

The Prime Minister said that only Swedes have proven their ability to make democracy work, and therefore they have no need to "run after foreign prototypes."

He said it appeared as though some people "expected new signals," and added that if they expected him to utter "demands for cutting loose from democratic institutions and running after foreign patrons without criticism, I cannot personally be of any service."

**Norse Ship Sinks**  
LONDON, Aug. 5 (P)—The Norwegian steamer *Sofie Baake* was wrecked today to have gone down off the northeast coast of Scotland yesterday after a collision with the Swedish ship *Lima*. The crew of 39 officers and men was saved.

The *Sofie Baake* was a vessel of 5,461 tons. She sank within 20 minutes after being struck amidships.

**American Laborist Denounces Defense**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—Compulsory military service and the current congressional defense appropriations were denounced yesterday by Representative Vito Marcantonio (A-P) of New York at a peace rally sponsored by the Emergency Peace Mobilization Committee.

"These preparations are designed not for defense but to catapult America into war to guarantee the American dollar and the British pound," Mr. Marcantonio declared.

The audience was estimated by police at 18,000 persons.

## Japan Makes Complaint On Gas Embargo

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (P)—Japan has protested formally against the embargo which makes it impossible for her to purchase aviation gasoline in this country.

Kensuke Horinouchi, the Japanese Ambassador, handed a note of protest to Sumner Welles, under Secretary of State, on instructions from his Government.

Polite but grave, the Ambassador strode into the Under Secretary's office in the State Department Building. Mr. Welles, standing beside his desk as Mr. Horinouchi entered, smiled and shook hands. Then they discussed briefly the formal communication.

The Japanese envoy would not disclose the contents of the message to reporters afterward, except to say that it dealt with a commercial matter.

From reliable sources it was learned, however, that the note protested against the aviation gasoline embargo on the ground that it was discriminatory against Japan.

One basis that may have been cited for this claim of discrimination, it was said, was that the embargo would affect the Japanese much more than the British because Japan had less facilities for refining its own aviation fuel.

The embargo was announced at the White House on July 31. The announcement said that shipments of aviation gasoline from the United States to points outside the Western Hemisphere were being halted in "the interest of national defense."

Department of Commerce officials said the order would virtually wipe out this country's aviation gasoline export business, which amounted to 1,164,343 barrels in the first six months of this year. Of this six-month total, Japan took 105,000 barrels, France 513,513 and the United Kingdom 504,196.

Japanese purchases were considerably larger last year than this. They declined the first half of 1940. Government experts said, however, that the accumulation of a reserve, partly to the growth of refining facilities in Japan and partly—perhaps—to lack of foreign exchange for large purchases.

The Japanese note will be studied further before a reply is made by this Government.

## Journalists Taken On Hamburg Tour; Port Is Avoided

HAMBURG, Germany, Aug. 5 (P)—A small group of German, Italian, and American journalists were taken to Hamburg by air on Aug. 3 to inspect the city, the port of which authorized British sources said had been reduced "practically to ruins" by Royal Air Force bombing.

The correspondents, in a swift, two-and-a-half-hour trip through the city, saw business in full swing, and no evidence of "perversion."

There is distinction between the port and the city itself. The British claim to have been careful to have avoided the destruction of nonmilitary objectives.

The trip included a visit to the tower of St. Michaelis Church, a popular spot for tourists seeking a bird's-eye view of the city.

The church rises above the Elbe River near the old city. Modern Hamburg, where the British claimed to have caused the most damage, is several miles from the tower.

Docks in the vicinity of the tower were in good order, including one of three large sections of the Blohm and Voss Shipbuilding Company. In fact, the only sign of destruction was a small ship whose masts protruded from the waters of the Elbe. An Air Force officer said it caught fire and sank some time ago.

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## British May Offer Long Resistance, Rome Review Says

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## Japan's Pro-Axis Trend Rises With Nazi Gains

By Randall Gould  
TOKYO—Germany's continental successes inevitably strengthen the forces of "axis collaboration" in Japan. Indication of this is seen in the efforts of the Seiyukai party's so-called reformist or Nakajima faction—Nakajima is a vital factor in Japanese aircraft engine production—for a strengthening of German-Italian-Japanese co-operation.

At a recent meeting of leaders of the faction Mitsuno Miyata of the House of Peers urged reconsideration of the decision that Japan was not to allow itself to become involved in the European war. It was likewise asked that the Government reinforce its Axis ties.

In view of the Soviet-German alliance of last year the idea of any active German participation in Japan's efforts against the Comintern was generally dismissed. But now Mr. Miyata is urging a "strong foreign policy to cope efficiently with the international situation"—in other words, join the side which seems to be winning.

**Uncertainty Over Russia**  
This movement on the part of the Seiyukai faction fits in with the new one-party system. Those who favor Axis collaboration would like to emulate the examples of Germany and Italy with regard to one-partyism, having a single Japanese nationalist party similar to the Nazis in Germany and the Fascists in Italy.

There is considerable ground for belief, however, that the drive toward getting involved in Europe will be checked by several solid obstacles. One of these is the continuing uncertainty over Soviet Russia, which Japan inevitably considers a menace no matter what sort of treaties anybody may sign with Moscow.

**Fishing Dispute Persists**  
Another is a well-founded realization that neither Europe nor the Americas have any great enthusiasm for Japan's policies in China, which have not at any time included much favoritism for either friend or foe and which have cost

people to refuse to "give up a single fistful of our land."

While the Rumanian Council of Ministers discussed anti-Jewish laws, it was learned unofficially the latest plan would require nearly 250,000 Jews, who cannot prove that their ancestors for three generations were born in Rumania, to leave the country within five years, meanwhile living in ghettos as foreigners.

**U. S. Seen Holding Latin Bloc's Trade**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (P)—Commander Robert C. Lee, Executive Vice-President of the Moore-McCormack Lines, returned from South America today with the expressed belief that the United States steamships would hold the trade despite a stiff fight.

Mr. Lee arrived on the American Republics liner *Argentina* after a tour of Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay. He said 80 per cent of the peoples of those nations "are violently opposed to Germany," with the remainder ranging from "lukewarm to enthusiastic favoritism of Axis powers."

Brazil, he asserted, is in favor of anything the United States wants to do, and she will go along with us. Our trade with Brazil can be greatly expanded and we need not worry about competition.

Rumania is expected to open territorial concession talks with Bulgaria Aug. 7, when Bulgarian Foreign Minister Ivan Popoff and Finance Minister Dobri Bojloff are to arrive in Bucharest, informed sources said.

Bulgaria claims southern Dobruja, which Rumania won in 1913. Conversations with Hungary will follow, it is expected.

Circulars entitled "Rumania, Awake" were found in city mailboxes yesterday, calling upon the

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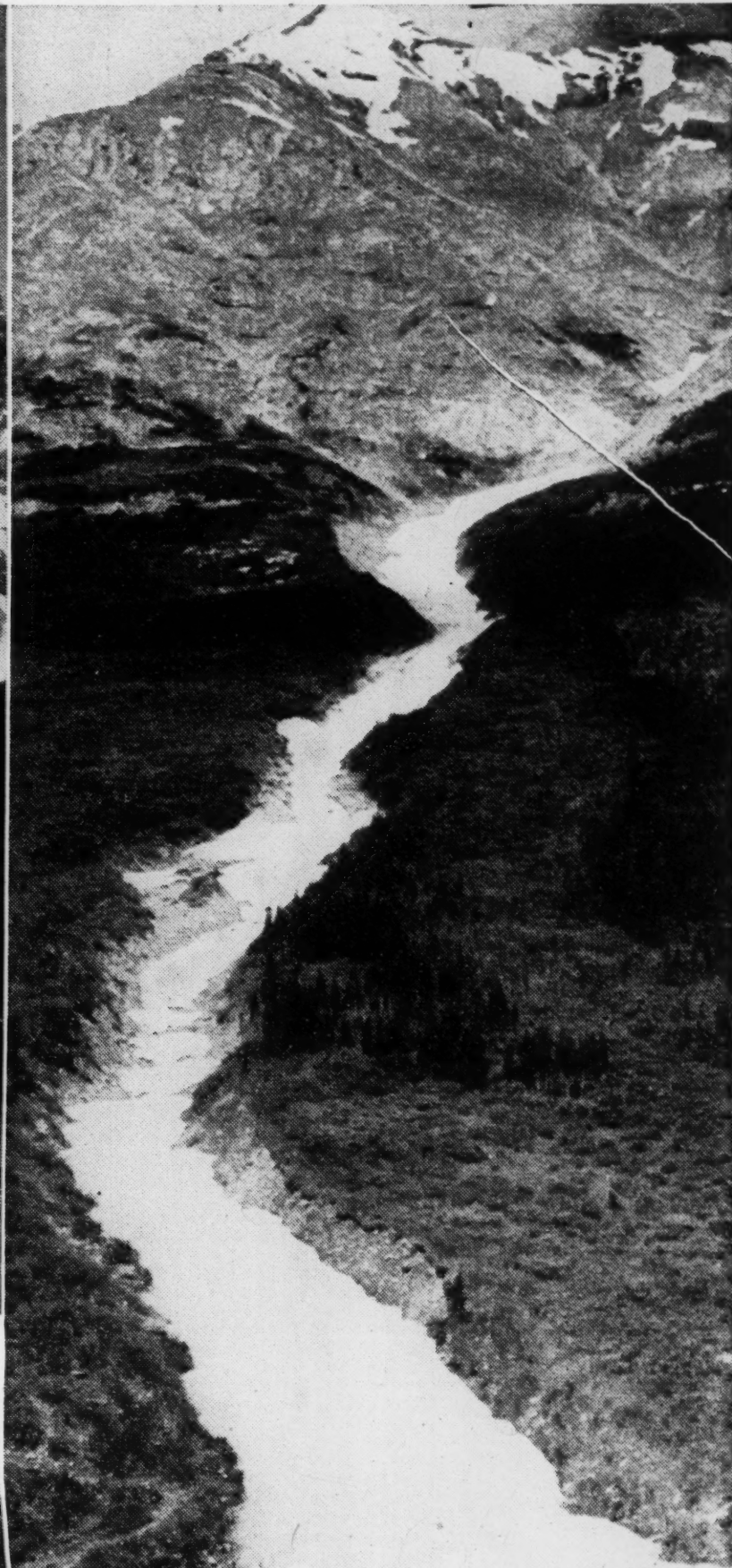


## Beauty Bounds Canada's New Motorway Through the Rockies



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### A View From the Summit of Pharaoh's Peak

Scarab and Mummy Lake in the Canadian Rockies as they will be seen by hikers exploring the Banff region this summer. Hiking tours are growing in popularity.



### Skyline Trail Blazers

These girls are typical of the many visitors who tour by foot the mountain peaks of the Banff-Lake Louise region.



### A Canadian Skyscraper

The rugged peak of Mt. Assiniboine as seen by two climbers from the top of Mt. Wedgewood in Banff National Park in Alberta.



### A Highway in the Icefields

This mile-long glacier near Mt. Athabasca needs cutting continually in order to prevent it from trespassing on the new Banff-Jasper Highway. The new motor road opens up areas in the Canadian Rockies which in other years were accessible only to hikers or horseback riders. The highway, built under the supervision of the Canadian Government, took nine years to build.



### In Nature's Icebox

Here is a view of the southernmost tip of the Columbia Icefield at Sunwapta. Tourists may walk with safety upon this great sheet of ice, which lies along the new Banff-Jasper Highway.

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## Pershing's Views on National Security

Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Following excerpts from Gen. John J. Pershing's radio address here last night: on "Security of the Americas":

We face problems of the utmost seriousness, that all the

things we hold most dear are gravely threatened. . . . We can defend them only if we make up our minds now to speak the truth without concealment, if we make up our minds to face the truth without flinching, if we make up our minds to act upon the truth without

hesitation. . . . No war was ever prevented by hiding the danger and by arguing that the danger does not exist. The men who are best qualified to know what is going on in Europe, and in Asia, and in this hemisphere; the men whose business it is to know the facts, are very nearly unanimous in believing that I am saying to you tonight: That grave danger for us lurks in the present world situation. . . .

### Dangers to U. S.

More than half the world is ruled by men who despise the American idea and have sworn to destroy it. They know that while the one great people remains independent and free, because it is strong and is brave, they can never crush finally the people they have conquered.

The example of liberty here will always continue to inspire the resistance to tyranny over there. . . .

The appeasers of eight nations are dead or in jail, or discredited and ruined. In seven of these eight nations the appeasers who would not take the danger seriously, who would not prepare when there was still time, have led their countries into disaster.

It is not hysterical to insist that democracy and liberty are threatened. Democracy and liberty have been overthrown on the continent of Europe. . . . By sending help to the British we can still hope with confidence to keep the war on the other side of the Atlantic Ocean, where the enemies of liberty, if possible, should be defeated.

But some are bold about what they would do tomorrow, if Great Britain is defeated and the war comes to this hemisphere. . . . Today may be forever too late to keep war from the Americas. . . .

We must be ready to meet force with a stronger force. We must make ourselves strong by building up our Army and Navy, and the establishment of the principle of universal selective service. . . .

### British Need Ships

The British Navy needs destroyers and small craft to convoy merchant ships, to escort its warships, and hunt submarines, and to repel invasion.

We have an immense reserve of destroyers left over from the other war, and in a few months the British will be completing a large number of destroyers of their own. The most critical time, therefore, is the next few weeks or months. If there is anything we can do to save the British fleet during that time we shall be failing in our duty to America if we do not do it.

If a proper method can be found, America will safeguard her freedom and security by making available to the British or Canadian governments at least 50 of the over-age destroyers. . . . If the destroyers help save the British fleet they may save us from the danger and hardship of another war.

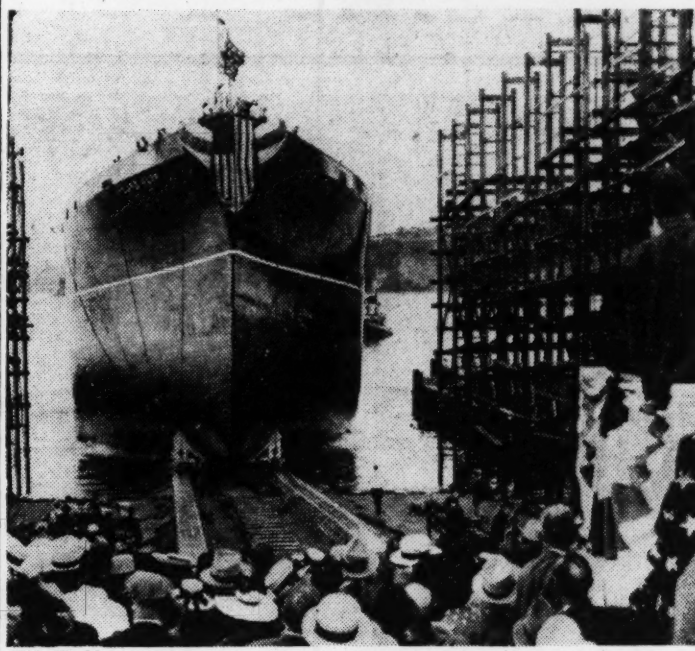
Americans should not shrink from duty because of probable hazards. . . . It would be absolutely folly even to consider sending another expeditionary force. No one is considering it, and those who may say that any one is considering it are deceiving themselves and deceiving you.

We must have the strength of character to face the truth. . . . that the time needed to build our own defenses may be lengthened if we have the courage to make the small, but important contribution which is still within our power toward the sustaining of the British defense.

A new kind of war is loose in the world; fought with all weapons, including treason, and fought most insidiously during what some of our countrymen call peacetime. It is a war against a civilization that we know; it is a revolution. . . . that denies the dignity of men, and which banishes the hope of brotherhood and comradeship on earth.

We can see it developing right before our very eyes. It must be faced with daring and with devotion. We must lift up our hearts. We must reaffirm our noble tradition. We must make ourselves so strong that the tradition we live by shall not perish from the earth.

## Merchant Marine Grows



Wide World

### Northwest Launches Big Freighter

The Cape Alva slides down the ways at the Seattle-Tacoma Shipbuilding Yard at Tacoma, Wash., after being sponsored by Mrs. Anna Roosevelt Boettiger, daughter of the President. The Cape Alva is the first large commercial vessel launched in the Pacific Northwest in nearly a decade. The 13,000-ton, 417-foot-long, diesel-powered vessel is the first of a series of five 6-1 type Maritime Commission freighters being built at the Tacoma yard. The Cape Alva was named after a Washington State landmark jutting into the Pacific. The ship cost \$2,217,000.

## Argentina Is Willing to Wait; Sees No Immediate Danger

By Roland Hall Sharp

Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

HAVANA, Aug. 3.—Argentina's position, both in trade and in the question of colonial possessions, carried forward the tradition of recent inter-American meetings. That is, the Argentines came to Havana professing to be undisturbed over any immediate prospect of danger to the Americas.

Dr. Leopoldo Melo, chief Argentine delegate, has been ready with funny stories whenever pressed closely about specific points in his policy of unrestricted trade with Nazi Germany.

"Do you not feel," Dr. Melo was asked, "that the directors of Nazi trade policy may use their position after the war to exert pressure on Argentina?"

"Perhaps, but we see no danger now," he replied. He sought confirmation of this view among some of his Argentine colleagues, who agreed.

"Would you then say that Argentina would not join in co-operative measures for the purpose of the kind proposed here in Havana?"

Trade and Politics  
"Mira, Señor (the Spanish equivalent of 'See here, or 'Look,') once in Peru during colonial times an enterprising merchant imported a large number of eyeglasses. The Indians had no need for them, and they did not sell. So the merchant prevailed on the Viceroy to pass a law requiring the Indians to wear eye-glasses in order to have certain privileges."

Dr. Melo enjoys these stories, and has a fund of them. In the same conversation he told pertinent tales from the time of Andrew Jackson and of John Marshall. From the Peruvian eyeglasses the small group of newsmen gathered around Dr. Melo assumed that he views the Nazi trade menace with far more lightness than most of the delegates in Havana.

The same day in Berlin, Dr. Walter Funk, Reich's Minister of Economics, warned the United States that American trade would have to be on German terms. Argentina's position is one of proud independence. In trade, the Argentines like to maintain the fiction of freedom, even though for some years exchange restrictions have been imposed on behalf of Britain. By "liberty to trade" as stressed in Havana, Argentina evidently means a free hand to seek the best outlets for wheat, meat, linseed, or corn, regardless of political systems in the purchasing country.

By this stand the Argentine delegation disagreed basically with Secretary Hull and his economic advisers. The entire United States economic program at Havana assumed an imminent danger of Nazi trade domination in parts of Latin America. Political influence, and possibly political domination, was seen as a certain result of trading under the Nazi system.

Regardless of compromises in terminology reached at Havana, Argentina is not likely to enter any form of a cartel, even in the form of a restricted commodity agreement on meat or wheat.

When pressed specifically on the

change that might be expected in Argentine policy should an actual trade menace be seen, Dr. Melo said there would be the time for action.

"We do not like to hypostatize powers for situations that do not exist," he explained.

The same tendency to delay cropped up in Argentina's attitude toward the colonies of non-American powers in this hemisphere. Several times in public and in private Dr. Melo objected to the adoption of measures that might not be suited to later developments. From the fast-moving European situation that causes Washington to believe the time for action is already here, and the dangers clearly signposted, Argentina concludes that events are moving too fast for specific counter-measures to be formulated.

Time Will Tell Motives  
There stands the core of divergent viewpoints. As for motives behind these externalities, time and actions will speak more accurately than anything heard in Havana.

Just when Argentina would go in event of a crisis recognized by Buenos Aires as severe, is an open question. Much depends on how tactfully Washington deals with a proud and independent people, still smarting under adverse effects of the Hawley-Smoot Tariff Act of 1930, still ranking over what is, with reason considered the veiled protectionism of existing sanitary provisions enforced against Argentine meat, still asking why the United States Senate will not ratify the pending Sanitary Convention that fully cares for genuine sanitary protection without mixing in tariff questions, and still unable to sell its meat, wheat, or corn to the Americas in sufficient amounts.

## U. S. Junior Chamber for Draft

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

CHICAGO.—The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce is throwing strong force behind its stated policy in favor of compulsory military conscription.

By official resolution adopted in convention at Washington in June this national organization of 110,000 young business executives between 21 and 35 went on record as favoring some form of military training. Now in a letter to the presidents of each local unit of the organization, Mark Matthews, President of the national body, asks for immediate direct action to implement this resolution.

The letter asks that local and State Junior Chambers adopt resolutions favoring compulsory military training, that members wire or air-mail to their Congressmen notification of this stand, and that wide publicity be given to such resolution.

Mr. Matthews explains that the organization does not advocate any particular piece of legislation. It just wants, he says, to back up the idea of universal military training.

The Chamber, its Executive Vice-President, Tom Reid, says, is anxious "to have the public faith in youth, shaken by news of such groups as the American Youth Congress, reaffirmed by knowledge that sound-thinking young men are willing to sacrifice personal interests when essential to national interests."

Incidentally, these young men, all of them identified in the executive capacity with business interests, including manufacturing,

## Auto Men Back 3d Term But Not Dictators

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 5 (P)—The United Automobile Workers of America, second largest union in the Congress of Industrial Organizations, in annual convention here today added its support to a third term for President Roosevelt, as one of its many resolutions, which include condemnation of Russia, Germany, Italy, and Japan, and opposition to compulsory military training.

After stormy debate, the vote to continue the New Deal under Mr. Roosevelt, was 507 to 40. Opponents regarded the resolution as a slap at John L. Lewis, C. I. O. president, who has expressed opposition to the third term.

Prior to the vote, Richard Frankenstein of Detroit, member of the C. I. O.'s Executive Board, declared that if Mr. Lewis "had not wanted us not to go on record for Franklin D. Roosevelt, he certainly would not have hesitated to have so stated."

Opponents contended the measure would weaken attempts to gain concessions from a political party in exchange for C. I. O. backing. In condemning the four nations as "aggressors and dictators," the convention heard strong minority protests against inclusion of Russia.

Joseph Ditzel of Toledo, Ohio, Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, declared that the union could no longer hide behind "weasel words," but had to take a clear stand on the issue. Passage of the resolution would not bring any purge of union members for their views, he pointed out.

Another resolution passed opposed "involvement in any war on foreign soil," and requested that "motion pictures, skits, mass demonstrations, plays and newspaper articles be promoted to explain about this war."

In other resolutions, delegates opposed war profiteering and attempts to deport Harry Bridges, West Coast C. I. O. leader, and endorsed the 30-hour week, the union shop and consumers' cooperatives.

## U. S. 'Angle' Counts Big Jump in Noses

PENASCO, Minn., Aug. 3 (P)—The population of the northwest angle, farthest north community in continental United States, jumped from 75 in 1930 to 143 this year, according to figures just released by Phil Smith, census enumerator.

Besides counting noses in the remote angle country, Mr. Smith is U. S. Commissioner, Justice of the Peace, Deputy Sheriff, Game Warden, Notary Public, advisor, and woodsman.

He made the rounds in a launch, and it required several days to reach all the inhabitants. On one occasion a storm swept over Mr. Smith's launch and washed the census records overboard. Mr. Smith retrieved them and took them ashore, built a fire and dried them out before continuing with his work.

## Lindbergh Urges Co-operation With Victor in Europe's War

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Following are excerpts from Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's address here last night at the "Keep-America-Out-of-War" rally:

... When the danger of foreign war was fully realized by our people the underlying tradition of American independence arose, and in recent weeks its voice has thundered through the weaker cries of war. . . .

There are still interests in this country and abroad who will do their utmost to draw us into the war. Against these interests we must be continuously on our guard. But American opinion is now definitely and overwhelmingly against our involvement.

Both political parties have declared against our entry into the war. People are beginning to realize that the problems of Europe cannot be solved by the interference of America. We have at last started to build and plan for the defense of our own continent. By these acts our eyes are turned once more in the direction of security and peace, for if our own military forces are strong no foreign nation can invade us, and if we do not interfere with their affairs none will desire to. . . .

I do not offer my opinion as an expert, but rather as a citizen who is alarmed at the position our country has reached in this era of experts. . . . I found conditions in Europe to be very different from our concept of them here in the United States. Anyone who takes the trouble to read through back issues of our newspapers cannot fail to realize what a false impression we had of the belligerent nations.

Issue Was Clear  
The underlying issue is clear. It was not the support of "democracy," or the so-called democratic nations would have given more assistance to the struggling republic of post-war Germany.

It was not a crusade for Christianity, or the Christian nations of the West would have carried their battle flags to the confiscated churches of Russia.

It was not the preservation of the small and helpless, or sanctions would have been followed by troops in Abyssinia and England would not have refused to co-operate with the United States in Manchuria.

The issue . . . concerned the division of territory and wealth between nations. It has caused conflict in Europe since European history began. The longer I lived in Europe the more I felt that no outside influence could solve the problems of European nations or bring them lasting peace. . . . the better acquainted we in America become with the background of European conflicts the less we will desire to take part in them. But here I would like to make

this point clear: While I advocate the non-interference by America in the internal affairs of Europe, I believe it is of the utmost importance for us to co-operate with Europe in our relationships with the other peoples of the earth. . . . Neither they nor we are strong enough to police the opposition of the other.

### Future Transactions

In the past we have dealt with a Europe dominated by England and France. In the future we may have to deal with a Europe dominated by Germany. But, whether England or Germany wins this war, Western civilization will still depend upon two great centers, one in each hemisphere.

An agreement between us could maintain civilization and peace throughout the world as far into the future as we can see. . . .

Co-operation is never impossible when there is sufficient gain on both sides and . . . treaties are seldom torn apart when they do not cover a weak nation. . . .

We should rearm fully for the defense of America and . . . we should never make the type of treaty that would lay us open to invasion if it were broken. But, if we refuse to consider treaties with the dominant nation of Europe, regardless of who that may be, we remove all possibility of peace. . . .

Let us carry on the American destiny of which our forefathers dreamed as they cut their farm lands from the virgin forests. What would they think of the claim that our frontiers lie in Europe?

Let us guard the independence that the soldiers of our Revolution won against overwhelming odds. What, I ask you, would those soldiers say if they could hear this nation, grown 130 million strong, being told that only the British Fleet protects us from invasion? . . .

## Christian Science Services on Radio

### New England

(All times given are local)  
Boston.—The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.  
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## Willie's Day

NATURE'S little tricks, devised for keeping hard-working people from their desks, hadn't, for a week or two, served to keep me from my radio. That was before I decided to have, at last, a good close look at Willie.

He was a little trick, measured by any standards. In his nest, which is about the thimble-sized proportions of the ordinary hummingbird nest, he had once seemed enormous. He projected from every side of the minuscule rookery, head and tail inclining up from a saddleback center, black beady eye blinking rapidly as he watched me. I had known him for several weeks. If his mother, who had planted his nest just an arm's length from my vestibule, hadn't taken to whirling into the air every time I came out of my front door, I probably never would have noticed him. But I finally, thanks to her interest, became aware that some sort of hummingbird business was going on that I probably ought to investigate; and I found the nest, at last, at the end of a little walnut limb where it swung easily back and forth in a sort of lullaby manner in the soft summer breeze.

Willie was then just beginning to take notice of things. In a few days he was bigger, and he used to lay his little snout up over the edge of the nest and blink at me as I passed by; and, if I thought about it at all, I must have supposed that he was due to be there with me all summer.

But then, suddenly—it seemed only a day or two, but it may have been longer—there he was literally spilling out over the edge of the nest. I began to think that he might soon be about the business of gathering honey, or whatever hummingbirds do; and that, if I was going to make his acquaint-

ance, I had better be doing something about it. With some care—for he was watching every move I made with that rapidly blinking black dot of an eye—I pulled the limb over to have a good look. He was so large that I thought at first it might be his mother sitting there, as I had seen her do during the late spring evenings; and I suppose he was as surprised as I was at what followed. Quite suddenly—as suddenly as if he had been propelled from the end of the branch by a pop gun—he let out a hundred or so little short squeaks and hurtled away into the air as if he had been doing it all his life.

It wasn't a very good flight. As a matter of fact, he volplaned onto a graveled path about fifteen feet from the door, having suddenly stopped moving his wings midway on the way there; doubtless convinced that, having made an initial effort, the rest was not up to him. Or maybe just frightened at finding himself actually and physically out in a world the enormity of which his eye had not been able to reveal.

He didn't murmur when I picked him up; but, when I carried him into the house, he cried a little, and after a couple of minutes inside put his head back, opened his long beak, and scolded me roundly. I decided, I thought with reason, to put him back in the nest and leave the matter with his parents. After all, I had done more for him than they had succeeded so far in doing; I had made flight worth the effort.

But he didn't fit into the nest, as he had done. He had projected out of it before, of course, but he had somehow looked as if he belonged there. Now all that was changed. Where he had merely projected, now he bulged. To make matters worse, his feathers had become badly ruffled, and every effort I made to smooth them down only seemed to make them more adamantly erect. Meantime, he was using every tone of his voice to make the whole affair public.

I felt and heard, rather than saw, his mother, and backed away from Willie as rapidly as I could, supposing she meant to finish the job of making him comfortable again in the nest. But her intention was quite the contrary. She jostled him with her beak and shoved at him with her body until he fell, squeaking lustily again, out of the nest. I ran to catch him, but was too late. Some sort of law of adjustment was at work, for this time he made the laurel bush, four feet away. He lost some altitude—about three feet—but he didn't land on the ground. He whirled his wings at a great rate, gave those little exultant cries I had already noticed, and landed at last on a stiff green laurel leaf.

And there he stayed. I tried once or twice to go to him, but his mother, who had made the short flight with him, flew up into my face and flurried there, and I yielded the point. She then flew to the near-by telephone wire and supervised the rest of the debut to the outside world.

I watched, too, of course. But, if I had expected immediate results, I was to be disappointed. Willie gingerly crawled the length of the leaf to a bit of stem on which he could clasp his feet—which he had never used except for that inglorious landing in the path—and there he remained. I had been inclined to see the thing through with him; but after an hour, during which he merely hung there tipsily and blinked at me, I started back to my work.

He was too good a showman to let interest flag long, however; and his cries, as I turned to go into the house, brought me rushing back to the scene. The great flight, I saw at once, was on. Willie was by this time already halfway between the laurel bush and a large walnut tree thirty feet distant—and, what is more, was making it. He was shouting at the top of his thin little voice, and his wings were beating out a little roar in the hot summer air, but he was actually gaining altitude. His mother and I both encouraged him as much as possible, I by shouting sound advice on the virtues of sticking with it, she by flying in little circles around him as he gave gravitation its most serious defeat. He yelled, and flew, and gained, not with ease, but with certainty; and he landed at last on a little walnut twig more than twenty feet from the ground, and



"FRENCH GIRL": A Bronze by Robert Bros

stood there teetering back and forth, acknowledging our applause.

It would be nice to announce that, fifteen minutes later, he flew off into the world, the wonderful new world he had just discovered, and never came back. But honesty will not permit. He stood on that twig of walnut for five solid hours, without any further movement than throwing his head back when his mother, and another hummingbird or his Aunt Jane, brought him tidbits to eat. I looked up from time to time during the afternoon to see his pearly little breast still there against the deeper green of the laurel leaves. The breeze tossed him about later in the day, but it made no difference. He would fluff his wings a little bit; but he would not fly. Once or twice I saw his mother seem to rush at him as if to unbalance him; but he had an excellent footing now, and he hung on despite her.

He was there in the twilight dusk when I came out to see if anything further had transpired. He was there when I went out for the evening. At a movie, where I spent a couple of hours, there were newsreel shots of an army miraculously escaping from Flanders and someone made an appeal for the Red Cross. My thoughts were far from Willie when finally I made my way back.

The flashlight, lighting my way under a large pepper near the garage, flushed him from a branch about even with my head, his little wings beating the air with tiny seashell thunder as he gained some limbs higher in the tree. But I had heard his squeaks of delight even before the light caught him, and knew (as, indeed, I have had occasion to think since) that this day's pleasures for him were of a sort I am not likely to know.

FRANK DAUGHERTY

ROBERT BROS is a sculptor of French origin, now residing in the United States. He is imbued with the contemporary ambition of able and conscientious sculptors to restore the plastic value to their art, and to discard the sleekness and superficiality of methods which have been acknowledged by the academies.

This bronze portrait of a "French Girl" shows his affinity with Despair. The sculptor aims to express an inner vitality through a carefully thought-out plastic pattern. The face is mobile, its youthfulness revealed through subtle gradations of surface.

## „No jertek, gondoljuk meg együtt“

Az ez oldalon angol nyelven megjelenő Krisztusi Tudomány (Christian Science) cikk fordítása

A FÖNTEBBI SZAVAK a Bibliának egy gyengéd érzelmű verséből valók, mely így megy (Ésaia 1:18): „No jertek, gondoljuk meg együtt, azt mondja az Úr! ha bűneitek skarlát-pirosak, hófehérek lesznek, és ha vérszínűek, mint a karmazsin, olyanak lesznek, mint a gyapjú“ (Angol Biblia Fordítás).

Ez a kiáltás a népet festői nyelven arra szólította fel, hogy térjenek vissza a más istenek utáni vándorlásukból az egy igaz Isten imádásához, amint arra őket Mózes tanította, aki Izrael fiainak Isten ezen tiltalmát jelentette ki (Mózes II. 20:3): „Ne legyenek néked idegen isteneid én előtt.“ Annak a szellemi megértése, hogy csak egy Isten, egy Elme van, megkezdte a világot leghatékonyabb gyógymóddal, a bebizonyítást, mely győgymód nemcsak a bűnnek, hanem minden inharmonikus állapotnak a gyógyulását hozza magával, s melyet a Felfedezője és Alapítója, Mary Baker Eddy, Krisztusi Tudományunk (Christian Science) nevezett.

Szellemi megértés elnyeréséhez a helyes alapból kiinduló nyugodt, logikus gondolkodás szükséges. Az igaz gondolkodás előkészíti a szellemi jó megnyilvánulását, bizonyoságot adja a helyes gondolkodás áldásainak és leleplezi az anyagiasság számításait, ki nem elégtélen eredményeit.

„Az értelem a legtevékenyebb emberi képesség.“ írja Mrs. Eddy „Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures“ (Tudomány és Egészség a Szentírás Kulcsával) 327-ik oldalán. És így folytatja (327, 328-ik oldal): „Hadd értesítse ez az értelemet és ébressze fel az embernek az erkölcsi kötelesség iránti szunnyadó érzését és fokozatosan meg fogja az ember tanulni az emberi érzék élvezeteinek a semmisségét és a szellemi érzékek nagyszerűségét és üdvösségét, mely elhallgattat mindent ami anyagi, vagy testi. Akkor nemcsak hogy meg lesz mentve, hanem akkor már meg is van mentve.“

Az évszázadok alatt az Isten után keresők

## “Come now, and let us reason together”

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

THE ABOVE WORDS are from a tender passage in the Bible (Isaiah 1:18), which runs, “Come now, and let us reason together, saith the Lord: though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.”

This was a call, in picturesque speech, to the people to return from their wanderings after other gods to the worship of the one true God, as taught by Moses, who had given the children of Israel God's injunction (Exodus 20:3): “Thou shalt have no other gods before me.” Spiritually to understand that there is but one God, one Mind, and that good, enables men to begin their demonstration of the most effective system of healing in the world, a system which brings healing not only from sin but from every discordant condition, and which was named by its Discoverer and Founder, Mary Baker Eddy, Christian Science.

To gain spiritual understanding, quiet reasoning from a correct basis is essential. Right reasoning prepares the way for the revelation of spiritual good, proves the blessings brought by correct thinking, and exposes the unsatisfactory results of materialistic speculations.

“Reason is the most active human faculty,” writes Mrs. Eddy on page 327 of “Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures.” “Let that,” she continues (ibid., pp. 327, 328), “inform the sentiments and awaken the man's dormant sense of moral obligation, and by degrees he will learn the nothingness of the pleasures of human sense and the grandeur and bliss of a spiritual sense, which silences the material or corporeal. Then he not only will be saved, but is saved.”

Throughout the centuries, seekers for God have seemed to lose their way because they were not taught to reason correctly from a spiritual basis alone. Any system of thought which recognizes as real an existence in which good is available only in the future—and that conditionally—is neither reasonable nor rational. It is not logical or right for men to be punished for enjoying the liberty to which they are entitled. Nor is it reasonable to believe that men's burden of sin and sorrow can be lifted from them through the vicarious work of another.

“For right reasoning there should be but one fact before the thought, namely, spiritual existence” (ibid., p. 492). In Christian Science, which is based on the

teachings of the Bible, we learn that God is not like a human being, to be angered or appeased by His children, but is infinite Love, the all-knowing Mind, the perfect creator of a perfect creation. It reveals also the spiritual import of the statement that “God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good” (Genesis 1:31). The creation of this divine Principle, Love, can only be the reflection of Himself, and thus perfect.

In the measure that men awaken from the dream of material existence—a belief of life and intelligence apart from God—to the discernment of man's eternal unity with Him, will their thoughts become “as white as snow” or “as wool.”

Accepting the allness of God, men may reasonably deduce the spiritual nature of His creation, including man. They learn also the nothingness of evil, and thus are able to subscribe to the third tenet of Christian Science, given on page 497 of Science and Health, which reads: “We acknowledge God's forgiveness of sin in the destruction of sin and the spiritual understanding that casts out evil as unreal. But the belief in sin is punished so long as the belief lasts.”

Life is God; and man lives because God lives. As they relinquish their belief in a life separate from God, men learn that true being expresses God's completeness, holiness, and harmony. As their spiritual understanding increases, such discordant conditions as sickness, sorrow, or lack—as well as sin—are discerned by men to be unreal. For it is not reasonable to believe that man, God's image, can manifest evil. It was, therefore, logical for Habakkuk to declare God to be “of purer eyes than to behold evil.”

Since, as Christian Science teaches, there is but one Mind, one Life, one perfect, self-existent Spirit, God, the logical conclusion is that there is no evil, for there can be no power apart from God. Throughout his career, Christ Jesus, the Way-shower, proved his unity with the Father, God. His deep spiritual understanding enabled him to heal all manner of discord and inharmonious, and he left his perfect example for us to follow.

(In another column will be found a translation of this article into Hungarian.)

## Lunar Journey

Sweetly  
The moon propels  
Her glowing, golden barge  
Among the pearly islands  
Until dawn.

ROBERT C. DODSON

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## Old-Time Itinerants on Long Island

IMPROVED ROADS brought another type of traveler—the peddler. During the next forty years his tribe increased, carrying his pack on his back or pushing a little cart from house to house.

You might buy almost anything from these peddlers and hawkers: pins, needles, small hardware, children's books (such as they were), cotton goods, etc. Then there was the peddler that specialized: tin peddlers, clock peddlers, peddlers of woodenware, boots, hats, brooms, etc. A wagon peddler might even be met driving through the country with a string of wagons behind him; in winter he had a string of sleighs lashed together.

As he ambled along from town to town he never failed to be a news peddler as well and seldom lacked for listeners. Market day, sheep paring, county fair or auction, the peddlers were always there taking in the sights and any stray dimes that might come their way.

With the exception of the junk man with a cowbell on his wagon, the scissors grinder, the popcorn and peanut man, or an occasional fish man pushing his little barrow with scales jingling on top, the peddler has now vanished from off the Island.

Then there were the workmen of the road, the traveling shoemakers, tailors, candle-makers, chair menders, tombstone cutters, barbers, printers, and what not, who went from house to house doing what was needed in their special line. Folks were very dependent on these journeymen, as they were called, since the majority of men living in the villages were either farmers or fishermen and shops were few and far between, and it was impossible to buy ready-made things as we can today.

The shoemaker, or cobbler as he was called, for instance, would stay with one family long enough to make and mend the winter's supply of shoes.

“The visit of the cobbler was quite an event each year,” writes a man; “father would prepare for it by swapping a pair of cattle or a load of potatoes down at Foster's tan yard for a few sides of leather. When the cobbler came it was the boy's work to whistle out the pegs for him.”

Peddlers and journeymen seldom had a

set price, they drove the best bargain they could, often they bartered their goods for farm produce or local ware. Exchange of this kind was most common in those days. In fact, there was very little actual money in circulation. Storekeepers often advertised in this way: “All kinds of country produce will be received in payment and every favor gratefully acknowledged. Good rock salt exchanged for flaxseed or rye even.”

Edward Hicks, a cousin of Elias Hicks of Jericho, was a traveling painter; he did some portraits, but fire-boards were his specialty. Fire-boards were used to fill the fireplace in summer, and it was popular to have them decorated with historic scenes. Hicks had three or four favorite subjects. Washington crossing the Delaware he painted again and again. —From “Long Island's Story,” by JACQUELINE OVERTON. (New York: Doubleday, Doran.)

## Early Morning in New Orleans

It is the first hour after sunrise in New Orleans. Tall old houses, not yet awake, are tight-shut and mysterious, and the shadows of their wrought-iron balcony railings lie blue and lacelike in the narrow streets. An old gentleman and a small boy are going together to the French Market. . . . They have come from aboard a Mississippi River steamboat which is tied up at the wharf just outside the levee. Already the boy is intoxicated with the scent of the city, strangle after the sweet familiar smell of country lanes and new turned furrows. He sniffs delightedly, wrinkling his nose.

The uneven cobblestones make it difficult for him to walk sedately beside his grandfather; he slips and stumbles instead. As they approach the market he looks curiously at the squat, slate-covered roof supported by tapering pillars of masonry. Under the arcade he sees a moving mass of men, and the building buzzes like a hive of bees.

Wagons pass by, creaking under the weight of cabbages, of carrots, lettuce, of red and shiny tomatoes. . . . Men and women line the curb, bargaining with those who sell vegetables and other produce. Old

negro women, with bright-striped tignons on their heads and with baskets on their arms, wander about buying a little of this and a little of that. Fruit is piled high; globes of color, red, green, orange, and clusters of purple grapes. . . .

A negro man passes, bearing upon his head a flat basket filled with pink roses; the basket bobs in the air above the crowd, and the man whistles as he goes by, a trill of clear, liquid notes.

An old Indian woman, wrapped in a blanket, is selling baskets striped red and green; and near her two Italian children crouch beside a pillar of crumbling masonry warming their hands over a charcoal furnace. A lean black dog runs by with a piece of beef in his mouth, and a yellow cat with a little bell at its throat puts up its back and hisses like a snake.

“This isn't a bit like the plantation,” says the boy. . . . And this is my first impression of the fabulous city, when I went there with my grandfather for Mardi Gras, twenty-five years ago.—From “Fabulous New Orleans,” by LYLE SAXON. (New York: Appleton-Century.)

létszólág mindég elveszítették az útjukat, mert nem tanultak helyesen, csakis szellemi alapból kiindulva gondolkozni. A gondolkodás bármely olyan rendszerének, mely egy olyan létezés veszt valódnak, melyben a jó csak a jövőben—és akkor is csak föltételeesen—érhető el, se értelme, se józan okosság nincsen. Nincsen abban se logika, se igazság, hogy az ember meg legyen büntetve azért, mert a neki jogosan járó szabadságát élvezi. Valamint azt sem észszerű dolog elhinni, hogy a bűnnek és a szomorúságnak az emberekre nehezedő terhét le lehet emelni, ha az ezen munkából rák haruló részt helyettes útján próbáljuk élvezni.

„A helyes érvelés érdekében csak egy ténynek szabad az öntudat előtt lenni, tudnivali, a szellemi létezésnek“ (ibid., 492-ik oldal). A Krisztusi Tudomány, mely a Biblia tanításain alapul, arra tanít minket, hogy Isten nem egy emberi lény, kit a gyermeki meg-haragíthatnak vagy kibékíthetnek, hanem végtelen Szeretet, a mindentudó Elme, a tökéletes teremtés tökéletes teremtője. Fel-tárja azon kijelentésnek a szellemi jelentő-ségét is, hogy „És látá Isten, hogy minden a mit teremtett vala, imé igen jó“ (Mózes I. 31). Isten isteni Alapelvek, a Szeretnek a teremtése csakis önmagának visszatükrözése, azaz tökéletes lehet.

Amely mértékben az emberek az anyagi létezés álmából—egy az Istenről különálló életemben való hiedelemből—Istennel való örök egységük tudatára ébrednek, azon mértékben fognak gondolataik „hő-fehérré“ vagy „gyapjú“ tisztává változni.

Isten mindenségét elfogadva, józan követ-keztetéssel rájöhettek az embert magába foglaló isteni teremtés szellemi voltára. Megértik a gonosz semmisségét és így el tudják fogadni a Krisztusi Tudomány harmadik alaptételét, mely Science and Health 497-ik oldalán található: „Elismerjük, hogy Isten a bűnt a bűn elpusztításában bocsátja meg és azon szellemi értelemben, mely a gonoszt mint valótlanságot veti ki. De a bűnben való hiedelem büntetéssel jár, amíg a hiedelem eltart.“

Az Élet Isten; és az ember él, mert az Isten él. Amint elhagyják az emberek egy az Isten-től különálló életbe vetett hiedelmüket, megtanulják, hogy az igazi lét Isten teljességét, szentségét és harmóniáját fejezi ki. Amint kiből a szellemi értelmességük, az olyan inharmonikus állapotokat, mint a betegséget, szomorúságot, vagy hiányt—valamint a bűnt is—mint valótlanságot fogják látni. Mert nem észszerű azt hinni, hogy az ember, Isten kép-másá, tud gonoszsgát kifejezni. Habakuk tehát logikusan jelentette ki Istenről, hogy „Tisztábbak szemeid, hogyszem nézhetné a gonoszt.“

Mert, amint a Krisztusi Tudomány tanítja, csak egy Elme, egy Élet, egy tökéletes, önmaga-tól meglevő Szellem, vagy Isten létezik, ebből logikusan az következik, hogy gonosz nincsen, mert az Istennel egyeb hatalom nem létezhetik. Krisztus Jézus, az Úrmutató, egész életpályájában bizonyította az Átvalót, Istent való egységét. Mely szellemi tudásával meg tudott gyógyítani minden egyenetlen-kedest és inharmonitást, s tökéletes példáját nekünk hagyta, hogy azt követhessük.

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## Shearing 75 Sheep For Nickel

Electricity will do lot  
of work nowadays for  
the farmer who knows  
what to do with it.

### Exploring the News By the Staff

A nickel's worth of electricity will do a pile of work for the farmer today that not long ago meant long weary hours of drudgery. Westinghouse engineers have figured out that five cents' worth of electricity will shear 75 sheep or saw up a cord of wood.

One kilowatt-hour, at the price of a stick of candy, will shell 20 to 30 bushels of corn, cut and elevate a ton of silage, grind 100 to 500 pounds of grain, milk 20 to 25 cows, or run a sewing machine for 30 hours.

"A man working hard for eight hours develops about one horsepower hour of work," according to B. P. Hess, manager of Rural Electrification at Westinghouse. "Theoretically, in one hour that amount of work would lift 49 tons of hay into a mow 20 feet high. An electric motor will do this, or any of dozens of farm tasks requiring a similar amount of work, for about five cents' worth of electric current."

Want to really explore virgin territory—find a secret process or invent something that's never been invented before—and at the same time be assured beforehand that it's useful?

Then Dr. Cole Coolidge, Assistant Chemical Director of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., has a word for you. He has made up a list of some of the unfinished jobs still facing natural science. His list includes: "Improved building materials; more effective insecticides and fungicides; more efficient means of controlling rust and corrosion; more beautiful and durable textiles, dyes, and plastics; more efficient fuels for high-speed transportation; methods for utilizing energy from the sun."

All but the last are challenges with potentialities right in the backyards of already existing industries. They are the stuff with which tomorrow's industry will be concerned.

There are no ends to the wonders prepared for us by the gentlemen of the test tubes. The latest promise is that they have discovered a way to make use of unprofitable trees by using them to manufacture a special new kind of plastic. We have quite a few unprofitable trees in our backwood lot that we should be glad to have transformed into a nice new shiny plastic—most anything, if we only had the formula.

### An Air-Eye View

Or Mountains Are Smaller Seen  
From the Sky

This strong hill curved and took the stride of climbing feet that were a way across the crest that exploring men in their pride had braved.

A cool hill with trees and water, immense with the lonely acres of silence, so that the climbing men were tense at the sound of a broken branch, or a stone falling.

And today from the airplane's wing, murmuring across the lifted summit, it seems a small inconsequential thing with the sun upon it.

### Weather Predictions

By U. S. Weather Bureau

**Boston and vicinity:** Fair and moderately warm this afternoon and tonight, becoming cloudy late tonight and Tuesday; lowest temperature tonight near 70 degrees; local showers or thunderstorms by Tuesday night; moderate southwesterly winds.

**Maine:** Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

**New Hampshire and Vermont:** Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday followed by local showers Tuesday afternoon or night; not much change in temperature.

**Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut:** Fair tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy followed by local showers at night; not much change in temperature.

**Atlantic Coast, Eastport to Sandy Hook:** Moderate to fresh southwest winds; weather fair tonight and Tuesday.

**Weather Outlook for the Week Beginning Monday**

**North and Middle Atlantic States:** Local showers at beginning of week and again Thursday and Friday. A normally warm week.

### Official Temperatures

|             | A  | B  | C  | D  | E  | F   | G   | H   | I   | J   | K   | L   | M   | N   | O   | P   | Q   | R   | S   | T   | U   | V   | W   | X   | Y   | Z |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---|
| Boston      | 72 | 84 | 86 | 88 | 90 | 92  | 94  | 96  | 98  | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 | 120 | 122 | 124 | 126 | 128 | 130 |   |
| Chicago     | 68 | 80 | 82 | 84 | 86 | 88  | 90  | 92  | 94  | 96  | 98  | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 | 120 | 122 | 124 | 126 |   |
| Denver      | 60 | 72 | 74 | 76 | 78 | 80  | 82  | 84  | 86  | 88  | 90  | 92  | 94  | 96  | 98  | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 |   |
| Los Angeles | 68 | 80 | 82 | 84 | 86 | 88  | 90  | 92  | 94  | 96  | 98  | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 | 120 | 122 | 124 | 126 |   |
| Miami       | 80 | 92 | 94 | 96 | 98 | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 | 120 | 122 | 124 | 126 | 128 | 130 | 132 | 134 | 136 | 138 |   |
| Minneapolis | 60 | 72 | 74 | 76 | 78 | 80  | 82  | 84  | 86  | 88  | 90  | 92  | 94  | 96  | 98  | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 |   |
| New Orleans | 70 | 82 | 84 | 86 | 88 | 90  | 92  | 94  | 96  | 98  | 100 | 102 | 104 | 106 | 108 | 110 | 112 | 114 | 116 | 118 | 120 | 122 | 124 | 126 | 128 |   |

A—7:30 a. m. B—8:30 a. m. C—9:30 a. m. D—10:30 a. m. E—11:30 a. m. F—12:30 p. m. G—1:30 p. m. H—2:30 p. m. I—3:30 p. m. J—4:30 p. m. K—5:30 p. m. L—6:30 p. m. M—7:30 p. m. N—8:30 p. m. O—9:30 p. m. P—10:30 p. m. Q—11:30 p. m. R—12:30 a. m. S—1:30 a. m. T—2:30 a. m. U—3:30 a. m. V—4:30 a. m. W—5:30 a. m. X—6:30 a. m. Y—7:30 a. m. Z—8:30 a. m.

### High Tides at Boston

Monday, 1:05 p. m. E. D. S. T.; height, 10.6 feet.  
Tuesday, 1:24 a. m. E. D. S. T.; height, 11.4 feet.  
Light all vehicles by 8:30 p. m. E. D. S. T.

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Drummond, Past President of Boston Advertising Club, likes convenience of paper container for milk. Insert: As consumers commonly receive their milk every morning—in glass bottle.

## State Defense Committee Forms on Governor's Order

Formation of a Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety to co-ordinate the State's defense activities was progressing today, upon announcement of arrangements by Gov. Leverett Saltonstall. Ordered to proceed along the lines of the Public Safety organization established by Gov. Samuel McCall in the World War year of 1917, to solve food and other problems, the committee will be headed by Channing H. Cox, former Republican Governor. It will include in its membership leading men and women throughout the State. It will act as a central organization to unify defense activities and to solve civilian problems arising from defense preparations. The Governor, in announcing the plan, said in part: "Massachusetts has unsurpassed natural and human resources; and a body of citizens eager to use those resources to the fullest extent for our common well-being. I am reliably informed that no other State in the Union is doing more than—if as much as—Massachusetts in contributing to the national defense or in building up its own strength to meet any possible contingency. What we need now is a directing agency to unify our efforts, so that they will produce maximum effectiveness."

## Music Festival in Berkshires Completes Third of Season

STOCKBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 5 (AP)—One of the most successful community enterprises in the musical world closed triumphantly the first third of its seventh year with a concert heard yesterday afternoon by 6,500 persons. This is the Berkshire Symphony Festival, which each August brings larger and larger audiences to its home—Tanglewood, the estate given to the Boston Symphony Orchestra by Mrs. Gorman Brooks of Brookline, Mass. The Berkshires are full of summer cultural activities, and early in its history the Berkshire Symphony Festival developed a policy of co-operation which has benefited everybody—including the festival itself. A nearby venture of long standing, Mrs. Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge's weekly concerts at South Mountain, near Pittsfield, moves up its Sunday programs to Friday afternoon, on which day there is no festival program.

## Huntington Avenue Water Main Parts

A joint in a Boston water main on Huntington Avenue between Massachusetts Avenue and Gainsborough Street parted at 12:35 p. m. today. Water spouted more than 50 feet in the air for 10 minutes until valves were shut off.

The leak in the joint—which shunted water around an area marked on the Huntington Avenue subway plans for stairs to the surface—was caused by removal of braces below the pipe, a city water official said. Workmen on the subway project said it was caused by constant vibration of passing streetcars.

Water power was shut off after a couple of workmen were drenched, bystanders and passersby sprinkled, and traffic tied up for several minutes. Only damage caused by the

## Paper Holder Seen Pushing Bottle Aside

Objections to reform  
in milk delivery found  
to lessen—Day set for  
decision.

By W. Clifford Harvey  
Staff Writer of  
The Christian Science Monitor  
Next Thursday will be a big day in New England's \$150,000,000 dairy industry, when the Massachusetts State Milk Control Board is expected to admit the paper milk container into Greater Boston markets on a plane of competitive equality with the glass bottle.

In authoritative sources it is reported that the Control Board is considering with favorable eye the proposals to wipe out the one-cent a quart extra charge imposed by regulation upon all milk sold in paper containers, as opposed to milk retailed in glass bottles.

Action of the Board on this issue, considered by proponents of paper bottles as important to the introduction of economies into milk distributing fields, will depend largely upon the trend of testimony heard at the public conference next Thursday in the State House. Called by James C. Cort, State Milk Administrator, the meeting comes as a climax to years of agitation over the advisability of permitting paper containers to invade a field over which the glass bottle has been dictator for 40 years.

The extra one cent a quart demanded by the Board for milk sold in the less cumbersome containers was heretofore considered necessary to prevent what is termed "disruption of the marketing."

Returning from a tour of milk marketing in the Mississippi River, Mr. Cort is expected to reveal how other communities are faring with paper containers, two-quart and gallon bottles, and other modern versions of distribution launched ostensibly for purposes of economies to be passed along to consumers.

From the same authoritative circles, it is learned that many of the experiences of other communities with paper bottles are not satisfactory, hence, there may be verbal fireworks at this week's gathering of distributors, farmers, and consumers.

For several years now, the pros and cons of paper milk containers have been openly debated throughout New England. For every investigator of the milk business charging the industry with standing in its own way by virtually banning paper bottles, there is some one ready to go to bat for the "sanitary glass bottle," in which millions of dollars have been invested.

The debate will be revitalized on Thursday to cover an industry that Massachusetts alone brings a total farm cash income of some \$25,000,000, or 32 per cent of the State's entire agricultural income.

Casual observers or families with enough income to overlook a one-cent-per-quart difference in milk prices may think the coming meeting of scant importance to their well-being. Yet, it is reliably stated that this gathering will attract representatives of the industry that pours \$60,000,000 annually into the pockets of the Nation's wage earners engaged in equipping milk distributors alone with new accessories.

Outlays by the industry last year for trucks, gas, oil, tires, processing equipment, and other merchandise proved one of the big items in the industry's budget in community business. At the same time, the conference will point out that milk is delivered fresher today by several hours than it was 15 years ago, that it is better refrigerated, better bottled, more dependable, purer, safer, and considerably improved in quality.

Proponents of paper containers will say that they have a revolutionary receptacle for delivering milk that is in keeping with the industry's progressive steps of the last 15 years. As for one-gallon milk containers, the Control Board will point out that only an "act of the Legislature" can make them possible for distribution purposes in Massachusetts. The law sets weight maximums for milk containers that automatically rule the heavier bottles out. This fact is not generally known in the industry itself, and may call for some sort of joint action at the coming conference.

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## Attend Hearing on Office Wages



Left to right: Miss Olympia W. Minola, President of the Stenographers Union (A. F. of L.); Miss Margaret Weisman, Secretary of the Consumers' League of Massachusetts; Miss Mildred A. Ayers, social worker; and Miss Frances I. Gilligan, employee of the Consumers' League, at the hearing held in the State House today on the proposed minimum wage scale for office workers.

## War Causes Schoolship To Refuel in Hub

For the first time in its history the Massachusetts Nautical Schoolship Nantucket today docked at Boston for coal during the middle of its annual cruise instead of in some European port, according to Commander Robert M. Grey.

Because of the war the customary cruise to European ports was abandoned and this year it was limited to the Atlantic seaboard and the tropics. This and the terrific heat in the tropics are the reasons the Nantucket is "bunkering" in Boston.

Boston's temperatures of 80 and 90 degrees are quite refreshing as compared to the 100 to a maximum of 114 encountered in the West Indies, according to both Commander Grey and the crew.

Because of this heat several of the West Indies ports were eliminated and the ship made its way back to the waters of Maine and the cool northeast coast. In four days she will return to Maine waters where in East Lamoine (Boothbay Harbor) the cadets will take an examination under the deck awnings.

So far, approximately 6,500 miles of the 9,000-mile cruise have been covered. The ports called at were Washington, Norfolk, St. Thomas, San Juan, Guantanamo, Norfolk again, Portland, Greenport, L. I., and Boston. Havana, Cristobal and St. Petersburg, Fla., were skipped because of the heat. In Washington the 144 cadets were given a real treat. There are 28 graduates of the Nantucket now employed by the government who took the cadets on a tour of the capital. Each graduate took his car, making 28 cars in all, loaded it with cadets and gave them a motor caravan trip around Washington.

Ordinarily "bunkering" requires only one day, but the ship will remain for four days to give cadets who live in the western part of the State time to visit home. On Aug. 9, she will leave for Maine, where the examination will be held, and then complete the cruise to Glen Cove, N. Y., Fall River, Mass., Cataumet, Mass., and back to Boston on Sept. 23.

The only unusual feature about the trip south was the company of Capt. Walter K. Queen, State Commissioner of the Schoolship, as far as San Juan. Captain Queen was chief engineer aboard Admiral Richard E. Byrd's arctic ship Jacob Ruppert during a polar expedition.

## N. H. Enlistments Near State Quota

New Hampshire boys are joining the Army with a will these days, according to Maj. Gen. James A. Woodruff, commanding general of the First Corps Area, who, in a statement released today, said that the Granite State had enlisted 90 per cent of its quota of 120 recruits.

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## State Head of Mental Health Quits Guard to Attend to Job

Dr. Clifton T. Perkins, State Commissioner of Mental Health, announced today that he had resigned his commission as Captain in the 101st Medical Regiment of the Massachusetts National Guard.

"Since the problems of the Department with its 29,000 patients and 6,000 employees are so intimately tied up with the problems of national security, I feel they demand my full time and attention," Dr. Perkins said.

It is known at the State House that the Governor is concerned over the conduct of State department executives, now in the National Guard, are called into Federal service.

Dr. Perkins declined to comment on what effect his action might have upon other officials in his department, also holding National Guard commissions. Among those certain that such action was taken. Later, Representative Edith Nourse Rogers (R) of Massachusetts replied that no Congressional steps were necessary.

## Bay Staters 'Play Engineer,' Train Is on Time—Any Time

BRIDGTON, Maine, Aug. 5 (AP)—Six Massachusetts businessmen, whose chief previous approach to railroading had been trying to "catch" trains, turned the trick yesterday by renting the Bridgton and Harrison Railroad for a day to satisfy boyhood ambitions to be locomotive engineers.

A shout of "Hey, wait a minute," was all that was needed to bring the train to a halt.

And the sight of a cool swimming hole—well, everything just shut down.

It cost them \$60 to rent the road—the last narrow gauge road for passengers and freight in New England—and everyone was so happy over the performance that the \$50 was raised to help repair an engine that needed a new firebox.

Accompanied by a professional engineer on a "holiday," the men

for 12 hours shunted and shuttled trains, tugged and pulled, switched and about-faced over the 15-mile single line, which otherwise would have been idle for the day.

They heaved coal into the engine—that is, except for the time they couldn't make the hill because everyone was busy taking pictures and the steam fell low. Anybody was welcome to ride. And, as the "Iron Horse" rolled along the backwoods section, it picked up countless non-paying passengers—vacationists and boys from camps.

Just the suggestion that a good blueberry patch was nearby would bring everything to a standstill. The crew's white suits got dirty, their faces grimy, but everybody smiled.

Anybody who wanted to "play trains" got his chance, but—the mere mention of the word "time-table" was grounds for ejection.

## Ship Reports Meeting Raider

Time took a backward turn in Boston Harbor today as waterfront reporters talked with sailors on a ship just back from South Africa. They'd had a near brush with the German raider operating off Brazil, as well as a good look at some 70,000 Australian troops aboard seven giant British liners, including the Queen Mary, at Cape Town, awaiting convoy to England.

The American freighter Pacific tied up at the Army Base with chrome oil, palm oil, and \$2,500,000 in British gold, and reports of adventure. Fifteen days ago, said crew members, the ship was steaming North along the coast of Brazil when over the horizon was sighted a gray ship, with smoke stack aft, like a tanker, or like the prison ship Altmark, which had served as tender for the pocket battleship Graf Spee in these same waters.

This gray, unidentified ship cut across the Pacific's bow, pulled

about and sped by the port side, and then turned again and came up the starboard. Then, apparently satisfied it was the American vessel, the gray ship streaked away over the horizon.

A few days later the crew of the Pacific heard of the inconclusive encounter between the British armed merchantman Alcantara and the raider.

While at Cape Town, the crew of the Pacific said they saw the Queen Mary, the Mauretania, Aquitania, Empress of Britain, Empress of Australia, Empress of Japan and Empress of Russia swarming with 70,000 Aussies awaiting battleship convoy for Britain.

Another vessel, the Norwegian ship Trafalgar, also put in from South America today, but disclaimed having seen raiders. It was explained that the ship came North in the wake of the United States cruisers Wichita and Quincy.

## Office Staffs Favor \$16.50 Minimum Pay

Title of 'share croppers  
in industry' given by  
spokesman for union  
—Employers' side.

Office workers were characterized as the "share croppers of industry," suffering low wages because of lack of effective organization, as representatives of Congress of Industrial Organizations and the American Federation of Labor, social workers and others appeared today before the Massachusetts Minimum Wage Commission to favor establishment of a \$16.50 minimum weekly wage for office workers, estimated to number 200,000 in this State.

More than 200 persons attended the hearing staged by the Massachusetts Minimum Wage Commission in the Gardner Auditorium at the State House, to listen to arguments for and against the \$16.50 minimum wage recommended for a 40-hour week for experienced workers. The recommendations were made by a special minimum wage board whose recommendations to become effective must be approved by the Minimum Wage Commission.

While labor representatives favored the proposed minimum wage as a step in the right direction, employer representatives opposed the wage as "excessive and unreasonable" and attacked the fact that no difference was established between the minimum for workers employed in large cities and those in the smaller communities.

**Further Hearing Granted**  
Miss Ann Prosten, President of Local No. 3 of the United States Office and Professional Workers of America, C. I. O., led the proponents of the \$16.50 wage. Although Miss Olympia W. Minola, President of the Stenographers Union, Local 14,965, A. F. of L., announced that her organization filed one of the petitions leading to the establishment of the minimum wage board, she sought adjournment of the hearing for two or three weeks to allow appearance of A. F. of L. leaders who are attending the annual convention of the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor.

Brig. Gen. Charles H. Cole, chairman of the Minimum Wage Commission announced that further hearings would be held Aug. 19 at 7 p. m. and Sept 10 at 10:30 a. m.

**"Step in Right Direction"**  
Miss Prosten stated that the C. I. O. had recommended an \$18 minimum wage, but was ready to accept the \$16.50 figure as a step in the right direction. She told the commission that a survey of the budget needs of 330 office workers in major Massachusetts cities had shown that the minimum requirement for a living wage was \$23.85. She also said the Women's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor showed that women office workers in cities of 100,000 population or over needed \$21.66 as a minimum wage.

James H. Durkin, International Representative of the United Office and Professional Workers of America, also supported the \$16.50 minimum as a means of protecting the health and living standards of office workers.

George F. Markham, State Legislative Agent for the C. I. O., said that the "\$16.50 minimum is far from the ultimate goal, but it will be a major part of an adequate living wage."

It was Mr. Markham who referred to office workers as the "share croppers of industry."

**"Surprised" at Opposition**  
Numerous other C. I. O. officials favored the minimum wage establishment.

Aaron Bellemore, member of the Minimum Wage Board, and New England representative of the A. F. of L., strongly urged the \$16.50 minimum and expressed his surprise at the "tremendous opposition of employers" to the board's recommendation.

Frederick W. Bliss, Chairman of the Industrial Relations Committee of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, pointed out that no difference was established between the wage to be paid an office worker in a large city and a similar worker in a small town, although it is obvious that living costs are lower in the small community.

Furthermore, he pointed out that labor has indicated the \$16.50 minimum is merely a temporary stake, to be improved upon later. Mr. Bliss told the commission of a conference of 100 employers held at the Boston Chamber of Commerce July 25 at which the unanimous resolution was adopted opposing the office workers minimum wage decree.

**The Employers' Side**  
Points of opposition included:

1. That the minimum wage decree illegally sets up a work week limit.

2. That the decree restricted the employment opportunity for a large number of young persons seeking work.

3. That it caused a maladjustment over existing wage decrees in other fields of employment.

4. That it established excessive and unreasonable wages and worked a hardship upon both employers and employees.

## Tomorrow

Museum of Fine Arts—  
Guidance tour on Stained Glass by Mrs. Sayward 11 a. m.



LAST WEEK! REOPENS SEPT. 9  
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# The Children's Page

A Monday Page

## Sally and the Gipsy Woman

By Dorothy Ann Lovell

### Chapter Two

Sally took the knitting home and ran upstairs and hid it in a drawer in her room because it was tea time. She wasn't at all sure that she would be able to do it alone, but as soon as tea was over she took it out and began again, and went on for quite a time. But it didn't look right somehow—not like the first part. And a stitch dropped and made a hole, and the edge wouldn't keep straight, and she began to feel very disheartened altogether.

She went to the field the next day. The gipsy woman wasn't there at first, but after a time she came, walking by the side of the bank with her baby.

She was very helpful indeed and explained why the knitting didn't look straight.

"You've got the purls and the plains all mixed up," she said, and took the needle out and undid the stitches to the place where they had left off the day before.

After she had picked the stitches up, including the one that had dropped and made a hole, Sally went on with it herself, and it soon began to look like a real piece of knitting.

"You'll be all right now," said the gipsy woman. "Just keep the plains on one row and the purls on the next, and you can't go wrong."

After that Sally knitted away at home in her bedroom. At first she went very slowly, but soon she began to get more used to it.

### End of a Ball

Before very long she noticed that the wool was coming to an end. The second ball wasn't nearly as big as it had been, in fact it was quite small. When there was no more wool she would have to stop. She looked at what she had made and wondered what she could call it. It wasn't like anything very much, but it was a lovely color, and beautifully soft and warm. Perhaps that would count. She would tell the competition people that it had been made from Great-grandmother's wool, too, and they might give her the prize because of that.

She went on and on until the wool ran out, but the stitches were still on the needles, and she didn't know what to do with them. The gipsy woman hadn't said how you got rid of stitches at the end.

The next day she went to the field and waited for a long time, but no one came. So she decided to wrap up the knitting just as it was and take it round to the competition place when the time came and hope it wouldn't matter.

It was very cold on the Competition Day. Sally thought it was going to rain, but it snowed instead. It was rather difficult getting away from the house without anyone knowing, but she waited until Mother was busy with Mrs. Misty, and Cook was making bread, and then went out by the side door very quietly. She held the knitting under her coat to keep it from the snow.

There were quite a lot of people arriving with their parcels at the competition place. They were all grown-up, and Sally began to feel a bit anxious. She was told to go to a large table and take off the paper and wait for one of the judges. The grown-up people were taking the paper off their knitting too, and arranging the garments so as to make them look as nice as possible. Sally did the same, but it was rather difficult to make hers look nice because the needles were still in it.

### A Question Unanswered

After a time one of the judges came round. Sally knew she was a judge because she wore a scarlet rosette on her coat. She was a stout lady with a big nose, and she picked up the garments one after another and looked at them critically. She was a very serious sort of person.

When she came to Sally's knitting, she turned it over and said, "What's this?" in rather a dreadful voice.

Sally remained silent.

"Why is this here?" said the lady. "There must be some mistake. Who does it belong to?"

Sally pressed herself back

among the group of people who had gathered round the table. She realized all at once that what she had made was no good at all; that it wasn't even a garment. She wanted to go and hide somewhere, but she couldn't leave Great-grandmother's wool like that. So she waited until the people had moved on to another table, and then, without anyone noticing, she took it away. She ran down the road through the snow, but she didn't go home.

The snow came down in big flakes, and after a time Sally had to stop running because it was so thick. The front of her coat was all white, and bits of snow clung to her eyelashes and made her blink.

### The Figure in the Shed

At the side of the road was a tumbledown shed with a thatched roof that had half blown away. Sally looked through the open door. The whiteness of the snow made it seem very dark inside, and at first she thought it was empty. Then she saw that there was someone sitting on the ground in a corner.

Then the figure in the corner moved. It was the gipsy woman.

Sally ran forward. She was so very glad to see the gipsy woman again. But there was something different about her. She didn't smile as she had done before, and she held her baby very tight as if she thought it might blow away.

"It's terribly cold," she said, and that was all.

Sally had been going to tell her about the competition, and how dreadful it had been, but something stopped her. She saw that the gipsy woman had turned up her skirt so as to wrap it round the baby, and that she was trying to shield it from the wind that came through the torn roof. Suddenly Sally made up her mind.

### Gift for a Gipsy

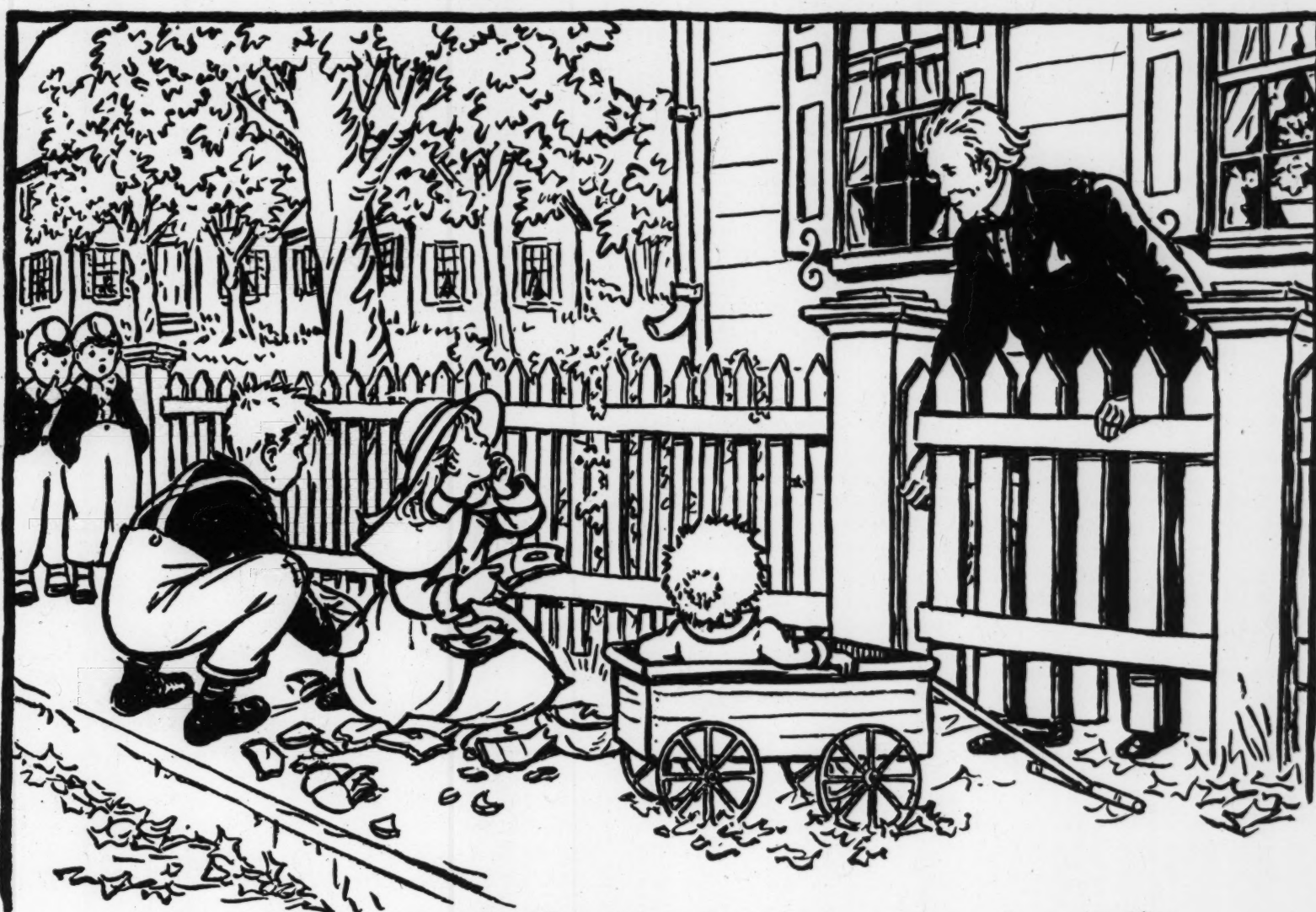
"I've finished my knitting," she said. "It's here. It's quite dry. It's for your baby."

The gipsy woman's face changed all of a sudden.

Sally unwrapped the parcel, and there was the square piece of rosy wool, so soft and warm and pretty.

"I didn't know what to do with all the stitches," she said, holding it out.

The gipsy woman put the baby



"YOUR JACK O' LANTERN? WELL, NOW, THAT'S A PITY, JUDY JO!"

## Jack O' Lantern for Judy Jo

By Mabel Betsy Hill

Illustrated by the Author

### Chapter Ten

On they went. At the corner, Grandpa stopped. "I must leave you, here," he said. He chuckled Tad under his round chin. "Now, be a good boy, Taddy. Goodbye, Judy Jo."

Judy Jo said goodbye, and started off, up along Apple Market Street.

On she went, swish, swish! through the yellow leaves.

Not a sound from Tad. "Maybe he's gone to sleep," thought Judy Jo. She hoped he had.

And here she was again, at Mrs. Meadows'. Tommy, up in a tree, called, "Hi, Judy Jo, wait a minute!" He scrambled down from the tree, took something from his pocket, and handed it to Judy Jo. "I fixed it for you," he said.

Oh, how wonderful! An apple, and on its rosy cheek were, in light yellow, Judy Jo's initials—J J W!

"Oh, Tommy, however did you do it?" she cried, amazed.

"'Twas easy," said Tommy. "I pasted the letters on before it was ripe, and underneath

it didn't get red. Then I washed off the paper."

"Well, it's just beautiful!" cried Judy Jo. "I never saw such a thing before, and I thank you ever so much, Tommy!"

On she went, admiring the wonderful apple. Then, crash!

Judy Jo looked around. There, on the sidewalk, lay poor Jack o' lantern, broken, it seemed, all to bits. She began to pick up the pieces. Tommy ran to help.

"Oh, Taddy, Taddy!" cried Judy Jo, "how could you, you naughty boy!"

She tried not to cry, but oh, her grand, splendid Jack o' lantern!

"It's a shame!" said Tommy. ("I'll make her another," he thought.)

"What's happened?" Kind old Dr. Page came to the parsonage gate. "Your Jack o' lantern? Well, now, that's a pity, Judy Jo! But he's too little to know 'twas naughty."

There was a rather naughty twinkle in Tad's eyes, though. "Big ba-all, all go-ne!" he said.

Tommy and Judy Jo picked up all the pieces.

"Why not come in a while, Judy Jo?" suggested Dr. Page. "I think likely your mother and Aunt Katy are at the Ladies' Aid Meeting, aren't they?"

He put Tad over his shoulder. "Sort of hard work taking care of a baby?" he asked.

Judy Jo wiped her eyes. "Yes, sir," she said, and followed Dr. Page into the house.

"Babies can be very naughty," she thought. "Oh, dear, my poor Jack o' lantern!"

(To be continued next Monday.)

## On a Child's Bouquet

Bunch-berry, lady's-tresses,  
Buttercups in yellow dresses,  
Daisies with love-telling petals,  
Purple thistles in your nettles,  
Strawberries that hang like bells,  
Goldenrod in citadels,  
Fill her basket, flower and leaf,  
With delight, clear, pure, and brief.

ELIZABETH COATSWORTH

## What Do You Read?

How would you like to earn a fine new book for your bookshelves? Lots of girls and boys now own beautiful new books with bright jackets and pictures, because they wrote to tell us about stories they liked which they read on The Children's Page.

Two good books are offered in these contests every month to children up to and including eleven years of age—one for the best paper sent in by a child under eight years of age, and one for the best paper sent in by a child between the ages of eight and eleven.

The awards for older girls and boys are announced on The Young Folks' Page.

The paper you submit may be about any stories or articles published on either of the Monitor's Junior Pages. Or, you may write to tell us what you think of some book you have read that has been reviewed in the book review columns of either of these pages.

Papers submitted by children under 12 years of age should be from 150 to 200 words long. They should give your own impressions or opinions of the stories or books. They should be neatly written, on only one side of each sheet.

Every manuscript must be countersigned by a parent or other responsible adult, certifying the writer's age and that the paper was his or her unaided work. The adult who countersigns the paper must make sure that it is original and has not been copied from another.

Manuscripts submitted in this contest cannot be returned, and every girl or boy who submits an entry must do so with the clear understanding that the judge's decision will be final.

Any girl or boy who reads the junior pages of the Monitor is eligible to compete, except those in the immediate families of employees of The Christian Science Publishing Society.

Entries in this contest should be addressed to:

PETER WHITE'S CONTEST  
Junior Department  
One Norway Street  
Boston, Massachusetts

## The Rocking Horse—An Old, Favorite Toy

While children today may have their tricycles and miniature automobiles, their mechanical toys, and modern playthings, their parents probably think most lovingly about the toy which was a favorite in their own childhood—the rocking horse.

Many a verse has been written about the carved horse which could carry its rider to fantastic lands. The rocking horse seems to touch the imagination and stir ideas about travel, trotting ahead, galloping through woodlands, over mountains, off into great vast distances of space. The young child today does not see horses as commonly as his parents and his grandparents who were accustomed to see them on the streets, drawing wagons and carriages.

The children of Colonial and early American days did not have many toys and the playthings

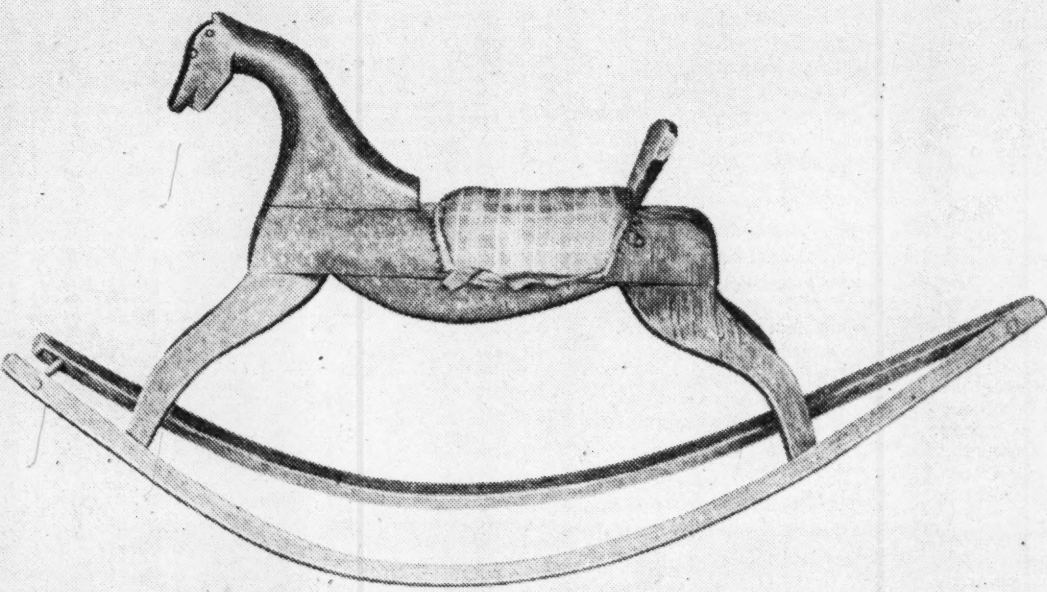
that they had were often carved by their fathers or uncles at home. Simple and useful and very enjoyable toys they were. Toys are loved not entirely for their shapes, for the animals or subjects which they imitate, but for the ideas which little folk develop about them.

The little Americans of early days were as devoted to their stiff wooden dolls as the little Americans today are to their many varieties of dolls. Charming antiques exist today to tell us something about the playthings and furnishings of these earlier little folk; cradles, youth chairs, dolls and hobby horses.

This rocking horse is early American, although little is known about its maker or its owner. It probably was made in the early nineteenth century. It is known that there were dealers

in Philadelphia who made hobby horses. Their name was Wigglesworth. Americans made their own rocking horses and imported them from England as well.

While the original of this rocking horse is in the Wells Historical Society Museum, Southbridge, Massachusetts, this photograph was taken from a water color made for the Massachusetts Index of American Design. Many such water colors are being made from early American carvings and embroideries and hand-made objects, so that a record of them will be preserved in case any of the originals should ever be lost or destroyed. Even though some of these interesting toys were made less than a century ago, their origins are unknown to us, for only in recent years are we really beginning to appreciate American folk art.



## Adventures Of Bobby Budgie

It was really Sid Sparrow's fault. He made such a noise as he scrambled and scratched in his sand-bath under the rose bushes that Bobby, the little blue budgie bird, looked out of the window to see what it was all about. Bobby's real name—budgerigar—was too long to use every day; that was why he was called Budgie. His real home was in Australia, but he liked this far-away country in which he lived now.

Sunny days always made Sid Sparrow noisy, and as he fluffed himself out and puffed himself out he shouted:

"O it's fun  
In the sun!  
And it's grand  
In the sand!"

He sang it over, again and again, till Bobby Budgie simply had to peep between the curtains to see who was making all that noise.

Of course Bobby had often been out in the garden sitting on Jean's shoulder, but he had never been out alone. (Jean was the little girl who gave him his seed, and his bath, and his lettuce, and things like that.)

First he put one foot out over the window sill, then he put the other. Then he started climbing down the creeper, and before you could blink, he was off across the garden, feeling as excited as could be.

Henrietta Hen, scratching on the path, nearly fell over with surprise as Bobby flashed past her.

"Good gracious!" she clucked. "A blue chicken! Whoever heard of such a thing?" And she looked round quickly to see if her own chickens had turned blue. But Chips and Chick and Charlie were all as yellow as ever.

### Timothy Tortoise Wonders

Meanwhile Bobby was having a wonderful time climbing all over a currant bush, and swinging from one branch to another. Down below the currant bush, Timothy Tortoise stretched his neck and stared up in great surprise.

"My, my! I don't know that young fellow. No indeed, I'm sure I don't know that young fellow. Who is that young fellow?"

Just then Sam Starling came flapping along, and stopped to say good morning.

"Just look up there," Timothy told him, nodding his head toward the place where Bobby was swinging by one foot. "Just you look up there. I've been looking up there for a long time. I know it isn't Sid Sparrow, because Sid is brown. I know it isn't you, because you are here. I know it isn't—"

"The thing is," Sam broke in, "who is it?"

"Ah!" Timothy nodded slowly. "I don't know who it is. You don't know who it is. How are we going to find out who it is?"

### Sam Spreads the News

Just then Jean came running along the path. Bobby let go of the bush and flew to meet her.

"Bobby!" she cried. "Oh, you naughty budgie! You might have got lost." And off she went with Bobby clinging to her shoulder.

"So that's who it is," Sam chuckled. "Bobby the Budgie. I must rush off and tell all the others."

### Timothy watched him go.

"My, my!" he said to himself. "We live and we learn. Yes indeed, we live and we learn. I didn't want to tell Sam, but I'd never even heard of a Budgie till today."

(These stories that we can all read for ourselves—even if we have not gone beyond the third grade—are published on this page on the first and third Mondays every month.)

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# Cincinnati Picks Up Valuable Ground in East While Dodgers Continue to Slip

## Reds Head Homeward With a 6 1/2-Game Lead

For the sake of Casey Stengel, it is a good thing the Cincinnati Reds are still in the National League.

And, for the sake of those World Series bubbles currently being inflated in the Rhinecland, it is quite fortunate for the Reds that misfortunes have been dogging the Brooklyn Dodgers—misfortunes like the benching of Joe Medwick for weak hitting.

On the one hand, there is Casey with his Boston Bees losing against the other clubs in the National League. On the other hand, you have the Reds, who came east July 23 with a five-game lead in the National League, dropped eight of 16 starts, and are now on the way home with a 6 1/2-game lead over the second-place Dodgers. This is largely because the Brooklyn Dodgers could only win six while losing nine to the western invaders.

### McCormick Stars

Casey is only sorry the Reds' Boston stay wasn't longer than the three double-header program over the week end. In that time, his Bees not only took four of six, including a split in yesterday's finale, but climbed out of the loop cellar. The Bees, who show an edge over only the Phillies in the season series with the other clubs, belted Bucky Walters 5-3 in the opener yesterday for Bucky's third straight defeat, and forced the Reds to go all out to take the nightcap 12-9, with Buck McCormick driving in six runs.

This gave Casey's lads an even split in the season's stand with the Reds—eight-and-eight—the only club to boast that record in the league.

Since the Phillies lost two to the fast-moving Pittsburgh Pirates, 6-1 and 6-4, the Bees' split dropped the Phils into the cellar. Truett Sewell tossed a four-hitter at the futility Phils in the opener and the Bees banged out 13 hits in the nightcap.

### Fitzsimmons Stopped

The Dodgers didn't have a chance against the Chicago Cubs in their opener and dropped it 11-3, as Gabby Hartnett's laughing boys rang the bell for a season high with a 21-hit attack. This cracked Freddy Fitzsimmons' five-game winning streak and handed him his second setback of the season.

The Cubs kept right on prowling in the afterpiece and shot six runs across in the first three frames. But the Dodgers tied it up on Pee-Wee Reese's ninth-inning homer and won out 7-6 in the 11th when Dolph Camilli

## Iowa State Football Talk

AMES, Iowa—Five weeks away from the opening of practice, invitations to two-score football players will go out shortly from Iowa State College, as Coach Jim Yeager begins to concentrate on gridiron plans for the coming season.

The quiet Cyclone boss has been spending some vacation time in his home farming country, in Kansas, but has returned to Ames to open preliminary fridwork work.

Other members of the Iowa State college staff have engaged

in vacation activities that include travel, golf and aviation.

An unusual summer occupation has been that of Ed Koch, Cyclone All-American and line coach. Koch has been ground school instructor for a summer unit of air students, now entering their final phases of training in a federal flight course.

Coach Louis Menze, director of Cyclone basketball tactics, traveled through the East with his family during the summer months, while LeRoy Timm, who will return to backfield coaching duties this fall, has been fishing in Canada.

Coach Hugo Otopalik, who will assist with football, before turning to his own wrestling squad, also was among the travelers, taking the Cyclone golf team to national tournament competition during June. The Iowa State squad, under Otopalik's tutelage, finished sixth in the national affair.

### Major Leaders

By the Associated Press  
National League  
Batting—Danning, New York, .335; Max, Philadelphia, .321.  
Runs—Frey, Cincinnati, 76; Mize, St. Louis, 74.  
Home Runs—Frey, Cincinnati, 13; Mize, St. Louis, 12.  
Pitching—Fitzsimmons, Brooklyn, 10-2; Sewell, Pittsburgh, 9-2.

American League  
Batting—Radcliff, St. Louis, .364; McCosky, Detroit, .351.  
Runs—Williams, Boston, 87; McCosky, Detroit, 84.  
Home Runs—Greenberg, Detroit, 90; York, Detroit, 79.  
Pitching—Cramer, Boston, 137; McCosky, Detroit, 136.  
Doubles—Greenberg, Detroit, 35; Boudreau, Cleveland, 34.  
Triples—McCosky, Detroit, 13; Finney, Boston and Keller, New York, 12.  
Home Runs—Case, Washington, 23; Walker, Washington, 17.  
Pitching—Newsum, Detroit, 13-7; Rowe, Detroit, 9-2.

### Minor Leagues

By the Associated Press  
Results Aug. 4  
International League  
Syracuse 6-2, Newark 5-2.  
Buffalo 6-2, Jersey City 5-4.  
Baltimore 7-2, Rochester 4-2.  
Montreal 4-0, Toronto 3-2.

American Association  
Kansas City 8-2, St. Paul 2-1.  
Indianapolis 3-2, Toledo 3-3.  
Milwaukee 4-3, Milwaukee 2-0.  
Columbus 2-3, Louisville 1-0 (first 15 innings).

Pacific Coast League  
Los Angeles 2-0, Portland 0-1.  
Oakland 4-3, Sacramento 3-5.  
Seattle 7-7, San Francisco 1-1.  
San Diego 6-2, Hollywood 5-1.

Eastern League  
Houma 8-2, Tulsa 1-1.  
Oklahoma City 5-1, Beaumont 1-4.  
Shreveport 1-2, Fort Worth 4-8.  
Dallas 7-2, San Antonio 1-3 (second game, 13 innings).

Southern Association  
New Orleans 10-5, Atlanta 2-3.  
Birmingham 10-5, Chattanooga 6-8.  
Knoxville 7-1, Little Rock 2-4.  
Nashville 4-4, Memphis 3-10.

Eastern League  
Birmingham 5, Albany 1-4.  
Hartford 4-3, Springfield 2-6.  
Wilmington 1-3, Elmira 3-8 (first 10 innings).  
Wilkes-Barre 4-2, Scranton 3-3.

## Hitting His Stride



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## Tennis Crowd Excited As Riggs Faces New Test

RYE, N. Y., Aug. 5 (AP)—In this elite setting, where everyone has a chauffeur and a golden sun tan, Bobby Riggs, the national tennis champion, seems very unconcerned about what almost happened to him at Seabright, what did happen at Southampton and what may happen in the Eastern grass courts tourney here.

If he is unconcerned, he stands alone. Everyone else is tremendously excited, for Riggs barely escaped defeat by Frank Kovacs, the Oakland player, in the finals at Seabright, and then lost to the lanky Californian in the semifinals at Southampton.

The prospect of a champion being beaten is just the sort of excitement tennis needs.

The nationals at Forest Hills in September, up to now, were looked upon as pretty dull business. That tournament, above all others, needs a good battle in the men's division to offset the certain march of Alice Marble through the women's ranks.

And now the tennis fathers have not a knock-out two-stars, both capable of knocking Riggs off his throne.

First is Kovacs, who had Riggs at match point four times at Seabright, only to lose him, and who walloped the champion decisively at Southampton.

Then there is Don McNeill, the tough Oklahoma, who bested Kovacs easily at the Meadow Club finals Saturday and who is seeded second behind Bobby here.

Kovacs admits he has no fear of Riggs—and points to his two latest outings against him as proof. And McNeill says, "Now don't say that I can beat Riggs—just say I think I can."

Either way, tennis gets a break. Riggs hasn't been a popular champion. The oldsters are particularly displeased with the manner in which Riggs fiddles around letting unknown after unknown take sets from him.

Colorful  
Kovacs, if nothing else, would be a colorful champion. The "magnificent screwball" has the ridiculous habit of throwing his racket into the air when he's annoyed, of biting his racket when he's upset, of heckling ball boys, of razzing the gallery and of objecting dramatically to the decisions of umpires.

McNeill would be popular, though in a quiet sort of way. Much more stable and solid, he never resorts to gags to get in the gallery's graces.

The crowds like Kovacs better, though. At Southampton while he was being torn apart by McNeill in straight sets the crowd greeted every whacky gesture with a polite laugh and a nice burst of applause.

RYE, N. Y., Aug. 5 (AP)—After two days of tune-ups, the Eastern grass courts tennis championships really settle down to business today. Although both men's and women's singles began Saturday, only 23 matches have been played. Today there are 41 on the schedule.

Frankie Parker, the nation's second-ranked player and third-seeded in the tournament, has gained most of the benefit of the early start, while top-ranking Bobby Riggs and second-seeded Don McNeill were cleaning up last week's tasks at Southampton. Parker won his first two matches handily. He won 6-3, 6-2, from hard-hitting Bob Kerdasha of Woodcliff, N. J., yesterday.

The only other seeded stars who

## Hogan Still Leads Golf's Money Winners

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 5 (AP)—Little Ben Hogan failed to win a championship on professional golf's Midwest summer program, but the little star picked up enough money to maintain easily his lead among the year's big money winners of the game.

Hogan, who finished in a tie for fourth place yesterday in the final championship of the Midwest Professional Golfers' Association schedule, the Milwaukee open, has won \$9,405 since last January 1st.

His fourth place tie yesterday earned him \$875 as big Ralph Guldahl of Chicago walked off with first money of \$1,200 on a great finish which saw him score a final round of 66-67 for a 72 hole total of 268.

Ed Oliver, the big star from Hornell, N. Y., who played well in the Chicago open and then won the St. Paul \$7,500 event, finished second at 270, with Sam Snead turning in a blazing 65, six under par for the North Hills course, for a 271 aggregate.

Hogan's 272 tied Johnny Bulla of Chicago. Bulla's mark of 197 shots for 54 holes set a new all-time P. G. A. record, clipping a stroke off the mark set by Byron Nelson in the 1939 Phoenix (Ariz.) open and tied this spring by Craig Wood in the Metropolitan championship.

Low scoring amateur for a third straight tournament was Jim Ferrier, open and amateur champion of Australia, who had final rounds of 69-68 for a 278 aggregate.

The next stop on the tournament trail will be the Canadian open at Toronto, Aug. 15-17, to be followed by the P. G. A. championship Aug. 26-Sept. 1 at Hershey, Pa.

The year's leading money winners:

Ben Hogan, White Plains, N. Y., \$9,405.  
Jimmy Demaret, Houston, Tex., \$8,477.  
Sam Snead, Shawnee-on-Deleware, Pa., \$7,500.  
Byron Nelson, Toledo, Ohio, \$5,313.  
Craig Wood, Mamaroneck, N. Y., \$5,258.  
Lawson Little, Bretton Woods, N. H., \$5,182.  
Dick Metz, Chicago, \$4,937.  
Ralph Guldahl, Chicago, \$4,875.  
Sam Smith, Oak Park, Ill., \$4,770.  
Ed Oliver, Hornell, N. Y., \$4,725.

## Week-End Sports In Brief

By the Associated Press  
MILWAUKEE—Ralph Guldahl wins \$5,000 Milwaukee open golf tournament with 68-67-66-67—268, 16 strokes under par, when Johnny Bulla falters on last round after setting P. G. A. record of 197 for 54 holes.

SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y.—Don McNeill gains lopsided 6-4, 6-3, 6-3 victory over Frank Kovacs in final of 50th Meadow Club invitational tennis tournament; Ted Schroeder and Jack Kramer win doubles.

EAST HAMPTON, N. Y.—Dorothy Bundy whips Graystone Club tennis tourney and pairs with Mrs. John Van Ryn to win doubles from Miss Wheeler and Pauline Betz.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Bobby Parker, Tulsa, defeats Alex Kerr, Beverly Hills, Calif., in shoot-off for \$1,000 "world championship" event at Land of Sky skeet shoot.

ST. MICHAELS, Md.—George Ward, Wilmington, Del., set Class E racing inboard speedboat world record of 57.60 m. p. h.

## Milwaukee Open

Principal money winners in the \$5,000 Milwaukee open golf championship:

Ralph Guldahl, Chicago, \$5,000—\$1,200.  
Ed Oliver, Hornell, N. Y., \$750—\$1,750.  
Sam Snead, Shawnee-on-Deleware, Pa., \$750—\$1,750.  
John Bulla, Chicago, \$750—\$1,750.  
Ben Hogan, White Plains, N. Y., \$750—\$1,750.  
Jim Ferrier, Australia, \$750—\$1,750.  
Frank Moore, Detroit, \$750—\$1,750.  
E. J. Harrison, Little Rock, Ark., \$750—\$1,750.  
Jimmy Hines, Lakeville, N. Y., \$750—\$1,750.

## Eastern League

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5 (AP)—Eastern League standings, including games of Sunday:

| Team         | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|--------------|-----|------|-------|
| Birmingham   | 56  | 43   | .566  |
| Syracuse     | 54  | 46   | .541  |
| Hartford     | 54  | 50   | .519  |
| Scranton     | 52  | 48   | .519  |
| Elmira       | 53  | 51   | .510  |
| Albany       | 50  | 52   | .490  |
| Williamsport | 45  | 57   | .441  |
| Wilkes-Barre | 42  | 60   | .412  |

## Pacific Coast League

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5 (AP)—Pacific Coast League standings:

| Team          | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|---------------|-----|------|-------|
| San Francisco | 56  | 43   | .566  |
| Oakland       | 51  | 48   | .515  |
| Los Angeles   | 50  | 49   | .505  |
| San Diego     | 48  | 51   | .485  |
| Sacramento    | 46  | 53   | .465  |
| Hollywood     | 45  | 54   | .455  |
| San Francisco | 44  | 55   | .445  |
| Portland      | 43  | 56   | .435  |

## American Association

CHICAGO, Aug. 5 (AP)—Official standings of the American Association:

| Team         | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|--------------|-----|------|-------|
| Kansas City  | 52  | 43   | .548  |
| Indianapolis | 50  | 45   | .522  |
| Columbus     | 48  | 47   | .505  |
| Louisville   | 47  | 48   | .495  |
| St. Paul     | 46  | 49   | .484  |
| Toledo       | 45  | 50   | .471  |
| Indianapolis | 44  | 51   | .461  |

## International League

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (AP)—Official International League standings:

| Team        | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|-------------|-----|------|-------|
| New York    | 56  | 43   | .566  |
| Baltimore   | 54  | 46   | .541  |
| Jersey City | 52  | 48   | .519  |
| Montreal    | 51  | 49   | .510  |
| Syracuse    | 50  | 50   | .500  |
| Buffalo     | 49  | 51   | .490  |
| Toronto     | 48  | 52   | .480  |

## Far Western Track Performers Still Leading First Ten Club

Ten of the newly crowned National A. A. U. champions are among the leaders in the monthly table of America's best track and field performances of 1940, a list that is compiled by the A. A. U. and printed in the Amateur Athlete, the August issue of which came off the press recently.

From a sectional point of view the far West continues its hold on the top positions with first in eight of the 17 events. The East and the South have three and a half places each while the Midwest has only two.

National Champions  
The national champions who are in the lead in their events are Harold Davis of Salinas Junior College and the Olympic Club in the 200; Carl McCain of U. C. L. A. in the 400 meter hurdles; Phil Fox of the Olympic Club in the 800; Cornelius Wammerdam of the Olympic Club in the 1500 meter hurdles; Boyd Brown of Oregon and the Olympic Club in the 2000 meter hurdles; Les Steers of the Olympic Club in the high jump; Al Blozis of Georgetown and the New York A. C. in the shot put; Walter Mehrl of Wisconsin (1,500 meter champion) in the two mile run; Billy Brown of Louisiana State in the 5000 meter hurdles; and Fred Wolcott of Rice in the two hurdles.

The far western standard bearers include Clyde Jeffery of Stanford, 9.4 for 100 yards, Davis, 20.6 for 220; McBain, 51.6 for the 400 meter hurdles; Fox, 1707, 4 1/2 in. in the discus; Steers and Johnny Wilson of Southern California, 6ft. 9 1/2 in. in the high jump; Pat Turner of U. C. L. A., 25ft. 6 1/2 in. in the broad jump, and Boyd Brown with 232ft. 7 in. in the javelin throw.

Eastern Stars  
The East has Blozis with 56ft. 1 1/2 in. in the shot put; Ed Burrows of Princeton with 1-49.8 in the 880; Bob Bennett of Maine with 183ft. 10 1/2 in. in the hammer throw and Ed Drucker of Tufts, who shares the 120-yard high hurdles laurels with Wolcott at 13.9. Wolcott is alone in front in the low hurdles with 22.5 while the other Southern leaders are Charlie Belcher, unattached Georgian, with 46.7 in the 440 and Billy Brown

with 50ft. 2 1/2 in. in the hop, step, and jump. The Midwesterners are Chuck Fenske with 4-08.3 in the mile and Mehrl with 9-01.8 in the two miles. Both are Wisconsin graduates.

The First Ten Club in each event has more rigorous standards of admission than ever before in the various events. The tenth or "worst" performances are: 9.6 for 100 yards; 21 flat for the 220; 47.9 for the 440; 1:53.5 for the 880; 4:15.5 for the mile; 9:23.4 for the 2 miles; 14.4 for the high hurdles; 23.4 for the low hurdles; 51ft. 4 1/2 in. for the shot; 158ft. 2 1/2 in. for the discus; 14ft. 1-16 in. for the pole vault; 6ft. 6 1/2 in. for the high jump; 24ft. 4 1/2 in. for the broad jump; 214ft. 11 1/4 in. for the javelin and 167ft. 3 1/4 in. for the hammer throw.

Eastern Golfers Plan Association  
NEW YORK, Aug. 5 (AP)—Plans for the formation of an Eastern Golf Association, embracing all the territory east of the Mississippi River, will be considered this week during the eastern amateur championship at the Briar Hills Country Club.

The association is to be patterned after the Western, Southern, Trans-Mississippi and other major sectional bodies. The President of the association will be invited to become members of the executive committee.

The new organization would conduct three championship tournaments, amateur, open and women's. The 1941 eastern amateur already has been awarded to the Erie Downs Club, Fort Erie, Ont.

The 1940 eastern tourney, an outgrowth of the Syracuse Yacht Club invitation event, is expected to attract a field of 200, including last year's winner, Bill Holt of Syracuse, Willie Turnesa, Ray Billows, Dick Chapman and Johnny Burke, Metropolitan district stars, Art Doering of Chicago, Jim Ferrier, Australian champion, Neil White, Southern champion, Harry Havick of Lancaster, Pa., runner-up for the Intercollegiate title, Bob Babbish and Tom Sheehan of Detroit, Ellsworth Vines, the pro tennis star, and the Texans, Harry Todd, Don Schumacher and Jack Mungler.

Ed Oliver to Play In Canadian Open  
TORONTO (CP)—The man who blew away a chance to become United States open golf champion—Ed Oliver of Hornell, N. Y.—will be a starter when golf stars from at least three countries start shooting two weeks from now for the Canadian open crown, tournament officials announced.

Officials reported that they have received an official entry form from Oliver, who was disqualified from this year's U. S. open for starting his last round ahead of schedule. Because of this Oliver was barred from a playoff with Lawson Little and Gene Sarazen, a play-off won by Little.

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CONNIE MACK'S NEW COMEBACK By Ed Rumill  
Profile of the manager of the Philadelphia Athletics.

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## Commerce and Finance

## Farm Exports Outlook Held Unsatisfactory

WASHINGTON (P)—The Agriculture Department described the immediate outlook for export of American farm products as "highly unsatisfactory" and expressed the belief that there would be no improvement until after the end of the European war.

Continental European markets which furnished an outlet in recent years for approximately a third of United States farm exports, are now closed.

"Except for an increase in the demand for evaporated milk and the possibility of some increases in the demand for pork and for dried and canned fruits and vegetables, no improvement in the export situation is likely," the department said in an outlook report.

The dark export outlook, the report said, is being partially offset by an improvement in the domestic demand.

"No boom," no runaway prices are indicated—simply a sound improvement stimulated by increased industrial production for national defense.

This improvement was said to be reflected in a report of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics that the farm income from marketing for the first six months of 1940 was \$296,000,000 higher than for the same period last year.

The department reported that farm price trends in July were mixed. Hog prices were strong, but fruit and vegetable quotations weakened as marketings recovered from the effects of early spring freezes. Prices of eggs, butterfat, and beef cattle made moderate advances.

Cotton growers, faced by what the department described as a "gloomy export picture," have been able to find consolation in increased textile activity in this country. The department said domestic mill consumption of cotton for the current marketing year now seems likely to reach 7,750,000 bales. Consumption in the past season totaled 6,858,000 bales.

The department emphasized that supplies of food and feed were more than ample for the nation's needs. The wheat supply was estimated at about 1,000,000,000 bushels, or about 300,000,000 bushels more than normal domestic requirements.

## Canadian Spending In U. S. Expected To Make New High

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada will spend a record amount of money in the United States this year, the foreign exchange control board said, estimating that about \$75,000,000 will be diverted to more important uses by withholding foreign exchange permits for pleasure travel in the United States by Canadians.

"Canada needs airplanes, airplane engines and parts, and other vital war requirements from the United States," the board said in a statement. "To secure these, less important calls upon Canada's available supply of foreign exchange must be subordinated."

Restriction on pleasure travel effects a very large saving of United States funds without imposing any monetary sacrifice on the Canadian people, the board said.

"It does, however, impose a sacrifice of personal pleasure and convenience, but it has been demonstrated that this sacrifice has been accepted willingly by Canadians, and is, in fact, approved both by Canadians and Americans when they understand the reasons for the action which has been taken and its relation to Canada's war effort."

"Special arrangements are being made for the convenience of transportation employees and persons living in border towns with regard to permits for the export of funds from Canada. These will be made public within a few days when final details have been arranged."

## Flintkote Company Shows Slight Gain in Earnings

NEW YORK (P)—Net income of the Flintkote Company and subsidiaries report, subject to audit at the end of the year, for the seven periods of four weeks each ended July 13, 1940, after federal, state and foreign taxes, totaled \$621,470, equivalent to \$.92 a share on 678,546 shares of stock outstanding. For the corresponding period of 1939, net income was \$610,331 or \$.91 a share on 672,996 shares then outstanding.

For the four periods ended July 13, 1940, net income was \$507,152, or \$.75 per share, as compared with net income of \$507,837, or \$.75 per share, in the corresponding period of 1939.

For 13 periods ended July 13, 1940, net income was \$1,443,522, equivalent to \$2.13 a share, against \$1,522,522, or \$2.17 a share, in the corresponding periods ended July 15, 1939.

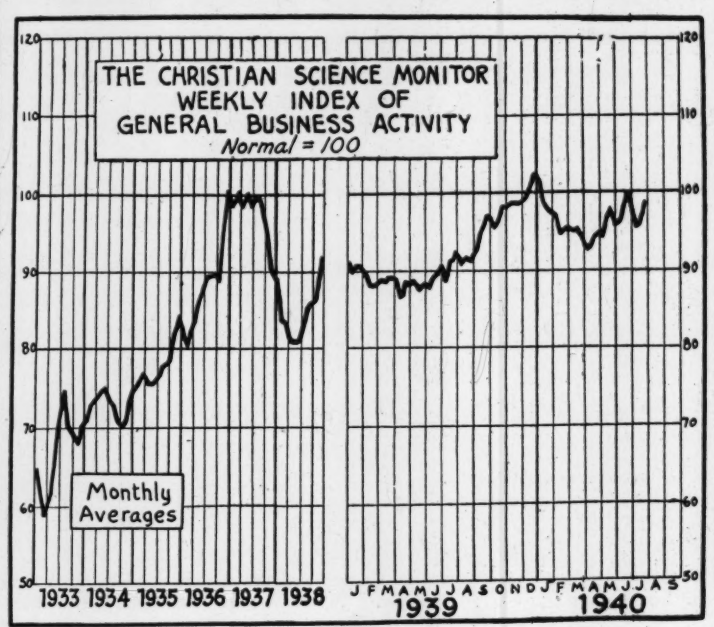
Net sales for seven periods ended July 13, 1940, were \$9,163,272, against \$8,339,829 in the corresponding periods of 1939.

## Transportation Profits Rise

NEW YORK (P)—General American Transportation Corp. reported for the second quarter ended June 30 net profit of \$39,539, equal to \$1.01 on the capital stock, compared with \$732,122, or 71 cents, in the June quarter of 1939.

## Steel Mills Pushing Production Close to Practical Capacity

## Monitor Index of Business Shows Further Rise in Week



The Christian Science Monitor weekly index of general business activity increased further during the week ended July 27, recovering a considerable portion of its loss in the holiday week. At 98.8 (preliminary) on July 27, the index compared with 97.6 on July 20 and 92.6 on July 29, last year.

A sharp spurt in electric power production to a level close to the all-time high reached last year accounted in large part for the increase in the combined index. While the greater-than-seasonal rise in output of electricity reflected in part increased industrial activity, high temperatures throughout the country were an additional factor boosting consumption for air conditioning and refrigeration.

Bank debits for selected cities other than financial centers dipped somewhat less than usual on the

basis of seasonal expectations, resulting in a moderate rise in the adjusted index.

Carloadings in the miscellaneous group exceeded expectations for seasonal decline, continuing the decline of the last few weeks.

In the heavy goods lines unfilled orders are large and operations are expanding. The steel rate for the past week was boosted another point to 90½ per cent of capacity, the highest rate since the end of last year. Gains in heavy engineering awards, in electrical equipment, airplane, tool and shipbuilding operations were also indicated.

The following table gives the combined weekly index and its components adjusted for seasonal variation and long-term trend:

|                           | July 27 | July 20 | July 29 | July 29 |
|---------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Combined index            | 98.8    | 97.6    | 92.6    | 1939    |
| BK debits outside NYC     | 94.9    | 94.3    | 91.0    | 1939    |
| Electric power production | 104.0   | 102.4   | 99.7    | 1939    |
| Misc carloadings          | 88.6    | 89.0    | 81.2    | 1939    |
| Preliminary               |         |         |         |         |

## The Week in Wall Street

By Harold Fleming

Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—The stock market last week broke out of its recent east-and-west movement, and rose. It went through the 124 level on the Dow-Jones industrial averages which had been marked by chart-readers as the necessary "resistance point" for a rise, and that looked pretty good. Nobody went wild with enthusiasm, however, and the rise in the market was, to say the least, sedate. The inner thinkers seem to think on the basis of this strength that the averages might percolate on up to 130, but after that they won't guess.

Westinghouse was strong, as an equipment company; International Paper rose in response to the tight position in the paper industry, which has helped Leon Henderson at last to get something to justify his position on the National Defense Advisory Commission by getting a promise from the paper people not to let prices get out of hand.

Texas Corporation was weak on Cap Rieber's connections with the Nazi Dr. Westrick, and Bethlehem was strong on its earnings statement. But Bethlehem is a good case in point of the lowest cash appraisal on earnings values in the history of the stock market. Either stocks are a most extraordinary bargain or something mighty serious is being discussed.

Good Earnings—The chief news support for the break-out on the upside seemed to be the surprisingly good second-quarter earnings being announced—good even after the adjustments which corporate managers business heads seemed to think necessary to allow for the lowest cash appraisal on earnings values in the history of the stock market. Either stocks are a most extraordinary bargain or something mighty serious is being discussed.

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The American Metal Market estimates that nine of the biggest steel companies showed earnings for the first half of round \$87,000 against only \$20,400,000 for the same period in 1939, and the National City Bank estimates that 400 industrial corporations showed for the first half of 1940 a net after profit taxes and less deficits of \$410,000,000 in the same period of 1939, or a gain of about 59 per cent.

Stock volume had a little upturn when the market jumped on Tuesday, but promptly relapsed to the now normal level of round 300,000 shares a day or less. The July Stock Exchange volume of 7,300,000 shares was the smallest for any month since August, 1918.

Bond trading volume went that one better; it was the smallest since February, 1918. Commodity futures trading volume was the smallest in many years and only about two thirds the volume of July, 1939, which was no great shakes of a trading volume itself.

Volume of futures trading on the New York Cotton Exchange was the smallest in 20 years. Foreign exchange trading volume was of course smaller than anybody can remember in the past; new capital issues were limited to a handful of tax-exempt, which made a handful of sections of Wall Street about unanimous for dullness.

## Steel Output Up 1 Point To 90½ Per Cent

CLEVELAND—Indicative of efforts to meet consumer requirements, steel mills are pushing production close to practical capacity, the rate advancing 1 point last week, to 90½ per cent, the highest since mid-December, according to the magazine Steel.

Cleveland rose 1½ points to 80½ per cent as one producer ended vacation idleness. New England was up 5 points to 80 per cent, Wheeling 4 points to 86, Eastern Pennsylvania 2 points to 88 and Chicago ½-point to 97. Three districts went to lower levels because of necessity for furnace repairs, Birmingham 4 points to 88, Cincinnati 4 points to 81 and St. Louis 2½ points to 62½. Rates were unchanged at Detroit, 99 per cent, Buffalo 90½, Pittsburgh 86½, and Youngstown 85.

Demand for Heavy Goods—"Heavier steel products, bars, plates, shapes and semifinished are being bought more freely, the low point apparently being passed. In spite of almost peak production mill backlogs are increasing, with prospects for heavier buying in the fall," says the survey.

"Flat-rolled steel orders are light, though some material for 1941 automobile models is being placed for frames and bodies and partsmakers are covering part of their needs. Practically all low-priced small lots under special arrangement remaining on books."

"Deliveries are lengthening in some products, but on the whole shipments are fairly close to specifications. Tonnage of heavy armor plate, over six inches, is estimated sufficient to last into 1946. Production facilities assure deliveries as fast as shipbuilders can prepare ship frames for its use."

"Placing of 10,000 tons of reinforcing bars for a government air station in New England at no more concession than the heavy tonnage war orders is a strong situation in this product, which has shown weakness in the past. This is one of the largest awards of this material in recent weeks."

"A feature of the structural market is the tonnage going into airplane manufacturing plants and hangars and other buildings government air fields. Vega Aircraft Co., Los Angeles, has awarded 4,800 tons and Vultee Aircraft Corp., Los Angeles, 1,400 tons for plant additions. Government airport awards include 1,650 tons for depot supply buildings and 1,300 tons for hangars at Hill Field, Ogden, Utah, 2,900 tons for hangars and 1,500 tons for hangars and 1,500 tons for hangars at Jacksonville, Fla., and 1,200 tons for hangars at Miami, Fla. Other large structural awards include 4,000 tons for a power plant addition at Venice, Ill., and 3,500 tons for 44 ammunition magazines at Savannah, Ill."

Scrap Prices Firm—Scrap prices have firmed and some advances have been registered, the composite of steel-making grades advancing 12 cents to \$1.29, the lowest upward move since the recent decline started in mid-June. One factor of strength is clarification of the export license order, which involves only No. 1 heavy melting steel. A large part of export shipments are No. 2 heavy melting and compressed bundles, running as high as 70 per cent in the case of Japan. Stronger scrap prices caused an advance of 7 cents in the iron and steel composite, to \$37.60.

"Automobile production shows the effect of early change of models and last week totaled 17,373 units, almost exactly half the 34,822 of the preceding week. This compares with 28,250 cars produced in the comparable week for year. Output is likely to remain low until new models get into regular production, which will not be for several weeks."

Political Outlook—The political news seems to present the chief deterrent to the market. For something is certainly holding the market down, and it can't be either the business news or the European news. The growing doubt about whether the Germans will actually risk their blitzkrieg over England or not seems to anticipate a really long war after all, with the odds lengthening in favor of England.

The chance getting steadily smaller that the British navy might be captured and turned against us. So the deterrent seems to be Washington.

The Street seems to be concluding that Washington's principal response to the war situation so far has been to use it for another blitzkrieg against private business. The defense program, in so far as new plant construction is concerned, is stymied by the unwillingness of the Administration to repeal the Vinson-Trammell Act or to make a reasonable change in the tax law as it applies to the amortization of plants constructed for temporary defense purposes.

At least the Administration won't countenance these changes until the controversial and technical excess profits tax is passed. As against the billions raised by the two types of taxes during the World War, the proposals of the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue are estimated to raise around \$300,000,000 and the Treasury's proposals would raise between \$500,000,000 and \$700,000,000. This is chicken-feed compared with either present expenses or even with present tax revenues.

The reason is simple; corporations are already being taxed far higher than they were 25 years ago, and there's less in the way of earnings left to tax. The normal corporation income tax rate now is 29.9 per cent. Furthermore, during the World War there were large inventory gains which were avail-

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## Chemical Industry Outlook Favorable, Service Forecasts

A favorable outlook for the chemical industry is forecast for the second half year by the United Business Service in its latest weekly report. No slackening of foreign demand is likely so long as the war continues. Even in the event hostilities should cease shortly, states the service, it would be some time before European plants would be in a position to offer serious competition in world markets.

Manufacturers of chemicals in this country are benefitting both from increased activity in domestic consuming industries and continued heavy export demand. With the industrial trend expected to continue upward under the stimulus of mounting defense orders, sales and profits of chemical producers should expand further. Gains over a year ago, however, will narrow, the service points out, in reflection of the sharp improvement recorded during the latter months of 1939.

Consumption of chemicals in this country during the first half of 1940 is estimated to have been 15-18 per cent greater than in the like 1939 period. At the same time, exports of industrial and fertilizer chemicals this year have been running over 50 per cent larger than a year earlier, reflecting war demand and the diversion to the U. S. of substantial Latin American orders formerly supplied by Germany.

Chemical prices on the average are slightly higher than a year ago. Costs have also advanced somewhat. Profit margins generally, however, are adequate, particularly in view of larger volumes. Tax burdens are mounting, but labor costs are less of a factor than in many industries.

The long-range outlook for the industry is impressive. Constant research is developing new materials and uses, expanding markets, and increasing the already broad diversification enjoyed by chemical makers.

## Goodrich and Phillips Petroleum To Speed Synthetic Rubber Output

NEW YORK (P)—A joint enterprise to speed output of synthetic rubber was announced by the B. F. Goodrich Co. and the Phillips Petroleum Co.

They have formed the Hydrocarbon Chemical Rubber Co., the announcement said, to "hasten the day when, if necessary, every American tire as well as the thousands of other rubber products can be made wholly with American rubber."

The Goodrich Company, after years of research, recently announced commercial production of automotive tires from synthetic rubber. The new unit's headquarters will be at Akron; also the principal offices of Goodrich.

Phillips Petroleum is a leading producer and marketer of petroleum products in the mid-continent and southwest.

"Phillips Petroleum Co. has a strong patent position in the processing of petroleum hydrocarbon and possesses immediate supplies and vast reserves of the raw materials used in the manufacture of synthetic rubber," the announcement explained.

Production, it added, is being

## War Orders Piling Up on Books Of Various Big U. S. Concerns

NEW YORK, July 29 (P)—Huge unfilled orders have piled up on the books of some units in America's blossoming war industry, although United States defense spending is regarded in business circles as only in its early stages.

Four companies alone have reported a total of about \$1,100,000,000 in unfilled contracts. They are the Bethlehem Steel Corp., Newport News Drydock & Shipbuilding Co., New York Shipbuilding Co., and Douglas Aircraft Co.—all outstanding participants in the armament boom.

Focusing business attention last week on swollen backlogs in war and allied industries was Bethlehem Steel's report of a record-breaking total of nearly \$500,000,000, much of it accounted for by recent naval contracts for fighting craft.

Swamped With Orders—Shipbuilding yards, swamped with naval and merchant marine awards, were running aircraft manufacturers a close race in the accumulation of business. Tool makers and miscellaneous suppliers also were filling order books with enough work to keep them busy for months to come.

Where the bulk of the great backlogs in the aircraft industry originated was apparent in the announcement of the British Purchasing Commission that it had placed orders in this country for 11,000 airplanes and received delivery of 2,800.

To business analysts, the mushroom expansion of unfilled orders in armament industries was significant for two reasons:

(1) The implication many companies would have to increase plant capacity to fill the orders within a reasonable period.

(2) Indication heavy industry may be busy for a long time on business already accumulated and in sight.

Financial sources estimated several billion dollars would be needed to enlarge aircraft, shipbuilding, and munitions producing capacity. With some yards estimating orders on hand were sufficient to keep them going full tilt for as much as 12 years, the pressure for enlargement of plant capacity seemed to be particularly strong in shipbuilding.

## Big Building Program Seen

Hints industry may be entering the most active period of plant building since 1929 were seen by some in the announcement of a \$92,000,000 Government loan to the Wright Aeronautical Corp. for an aircraft engine plant in Ohio.

What role private capital would play in financing armament factories was still obscure. In Wall Street discussion, tax obstacles—including prospect of a steeply graded excess profits tax on corporate profits—were blamed partly for the hesitation among business men in spending large sums for new productive capacity.

Tax confusion was expected to be cleared up soon by decisions on the proposed excess profits levy and the Administration's move to permit rapid write-off of war plant costs against taxes.

Despite the soaring backlogs—and the promise these held of sustained industrial activity—speculation in the Wall Street stock

market ebbed to the lowest point since the war.

The market hardly showed a flicker of interest when President Eugene G. Grace of Bethlehem Steel announced the company was operating at 99 per cent of capacity, had nearly \$500,000,000 in unfilled business and suggested more shipyard capacity was in order. Also passing with hardly a ripple of response in the market was the British disclosure of hopes for obtaining 3,000 airplanes monthly from the United States.

## Early Peace Talk Factor

The parallel between extreme inactivity in the stock market lately and in the final months of the World War in 1918 tempted some analysts to infer speculators were marking time in expectation of an early peace.

A truce between Germany and England, they suggested, might cause a sharp temporary setback in business in the United States until home defense spending and factory expansion plugged a hole from cancellation of British purchases.

However, market commentators conceded there were plenty of other reasons to keep speculators on the sidelines until they get more light on which economic roads the world will travel out of the upheaval in foreign trade and financial systems.

Traders, they noted, got a reminder of the staggering burden of war taxes abroad and the trend toward higher levies to pay defense costs in the United States from the new British tax schedules, imposing a basic income tax of 42½ per cent and a sales tax on consumption.

Probably equally as important as uncertainty how long the Battle of England would go on, some commentators insisted, was anticipation of the proposed excess profits tax in this country in discouraging speculators from making a bull market out of the business news.

## Soda Fountain Industry Thrives; One Big Manufacturer Plans Expansion

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

CHICAGO—Cheering hot weather note: the soda fountain industry is thriving.

Demand for equipment from which spurts the cool, sweet, bubbling beverage is causing one of the two largest manufacturers of the country, the Bastian-Blessing Co., to build a \$500,000 plant. In the new building, now in the planning stage, the company will turn out those mirrored, chrome-fitted contraptions which lure customers to drug stores on hot days.

The company will manufacture also less glamorous products, such as welding equipment, liquefied petroleum gas machinery, and counter ice-cream freezers.

Markets for soda fountains are pretty stable these days in spite of the world turmoil, said M. E. Steczynski, advertising manager of the company. Drug stores are the largest purchasers. The fountain is their biggest money-maker, he said. Confectioners' stores come second. A new development which has helped the sale of soda fountains is the opening of specialized ice-cream stores in the suburban areas around some of the large cities, said Mr. Steczynski. These are run by manufacturers of ice-cream who find the retail stores afford them a new outlet for their products. And as each one is opened, another soda fountain is sold.

A few customers of this company are individuals who like the idea of having their private soda fountain in the home. Nothing like being able to design your own banana splits and lime freezes and to construct them at your own fountain, say these satisfied purchasers. Of course you have to be a millionaire industrialist or a movie actress to be able to afford a really first-class fountain.

But the industry is not limited to making luxury equipment. A factory such as that being built by the Bastian-Blessing Co. can readily serve defense needs, said Mr. Steczynski. The company did, in fact, in 1917.

DETROIT (P)—Reporting nearly all plants closed for change-over operations, Ward's Automotive Reports, Inc., estimated this week's assemblies of cars and trucks at 17,373, compared with 34,822 last week and 33,550 this week a year ago.

The survey said the bottom point for the year probably would be reached next week. "Thereafter," it added, "the rise from the narrow valley in the seasonal line will be rapid and sustained, through the rest of August and all of September."

## American Cyanamid Co.

NEW YORK (P)—American Cyanamid Co. reported net income in the first six months of \$3,024,128, equal, after preferred dividend requirements, to \$1.11 a share on the common stock. This compared with \$2,149,714, or 80 cents a share, in the like 1939 period.

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## Profiteering Not Expected By Steel Head

NEW YORK (P)—E. G. Grace, President of Bethlehem Steel Corp., said he believed American industry would refrain from rearmament profiteering, declaring: "no true patriot will seek to enhance his position at the cost of national need and national welfare."

In an announcement to the employees of the corporation, Mr. Grace wrote:

"Two major problems now challenge our abilities and foresight. We must do our part in supplying the materials needed for the defense program in addition to those required for the normal economic life of the nation."

"The thing to be avoided is a boom condition such as has occurred at various times in our national history. There are certain mistakes of the past which need not be repeated."

"Industry today is more far-sighted than ever before. There is no expectation of a period of unusual profits. The heavy tax burdens in themselves will prevent that. Moreover, it is recognized that a sound national economy requires that prices be kept at reasonable levels—particularly is this true with respect to national defense materials. The defense dollar should be made to stretch as far as possible."

"The economic system should be kept in balance by self government and self control."

"The ability of industry to perform this role has been notably demonstrated in the past decade. In the business activity of 1937 there was no tendency to profiteer. There was no skyrocketing of steel prices."

"I believe we shall continue to operate on the same principles, with cost, prices and earnings on a reasonably stabilized basis. This is no time for anyone to take advantage of a distressing situation."



## Listed New York Bond and New York Curb Quotations

## FHLB Banks Pay Dividends Of \$14,272,771

Special To The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON—With the recent declarations of mid-year dividends by the regional Federal Home Loan Banks, total disbursements by these banks on their capital stock since their establishment in 1932 has mounted to \$14,272,771, officials of the Federal Home Loan Bank System announced here. The United States Treasury has received \$11,183,336 of this amount on its share holdings in the banks and the balance of \$3,089,435 has gone to member institutions of the banks.

The system created by Congress in 1932 to provide a national credit reservoir for thrift and home-financing institutions, not only has produced substantial returns to its stockholders but pays its own way without expense to the taxpayers, officials pointed out.

Ten of the 12 banks declare their dividends semi-annually and these institutions distributed \$70,063 for the January-June period of 1940. Of this amount, the United States Government received \$531,176 and member institutions of the banks received \$174,887.

The Federal Home Loan Bank of New York, serving New Jersey and New York, led in the mid-year dividend payments with \$118,480, closely followed by the Cincinnati bank, serving Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee, which paid \$102,286.14. Other banks in order of the volume of their payments were: Chicago (Ill., Wis.), \$93,982.88; Boston (New England), \$82,433.66; Los Angeles (Calif., Nev., Ariz., Hawaii), \$64,643.57; New Orleans (La., Miss., N. D., S. D.), \$61,461.06; Little Rock (Ark., Tex., La., N. M., Miss.), \$54,238.31; Indianapolis (Ind., Mich.), \$47,463.61; Topeka (Kan., Colo., Okla., Neb.), \$45,374.66; Portland (Pacific Northwest), \$35,687.26.

## Canadian Imports Increase Sharply In June Over 1939

OTTAWA, Ont. (CP)—Canadian imports showed a sharp increase in June, amounting to \$90,705,000, compared with \$63,709,000 in June last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported.

Imports from the United States totaled \$64,073,000, compared with \$39,389,000 in June, 1939, and from the United Kingdom \$11,851,000 compared with \$10,125,000.

Eight of the nine main commodity groups moved higher with marked gains in iron and its products, fibers and textiles and non-metallic minerals.

Leading imports in June were as follows, with figures for June, 1939, in parentheses: Petroleum products, \$7,491,000 (\$6,280,000); coal, \$7,140,000 (\$2,714,000); industrial machinery, \$5,553,000 (\$3,675,000); rolling mill products, \$5,274,000 (\$2,672,000); cotton, \$3,133,000 (\$2,672,000); wool, \$2,917,000 (\$1,881,000); sugar, \$3,429,000 (\$2,445,000); farm implements, \$3,056,000 (\$1,808,000); automobiles and parts, \$3,776,000 (\$2,541,000); fruits, \$4,043,000 (\$3,758,000); vegetables, \$1,059,000 (\$1,167,000).

Other leading imports were: vegetable oils, \$958,000 (\$805,000); cotton, \$731,000 (\$417,000); rubber, \$681,000 (\$1,210,000); seeds, \$616,000 (\$112,000); silk, \$712,000 (\$505,000); paper, \$753,000 (\$707,000); engines and boilers, \$677,000 (\$518,000); aluminum, \$672,000 (\$544,000); coke, \$500,000 (\$272,000); glass and glassware, \$840,000 (\$638,000); stone and products, \$940,000 (\$700,000); cereals and tanning materials, \$585,000 (\$337,000); fertilizers, \$409,000 (\$125,000); paints and refrigerators and parts, \$489,000 (\$202,000); scientific equipment, \$430,000 (\$426,000).

## Foreign Exchange Rates

By Kidder, Peabody &amp; Co.

12 noon, Aug. 5

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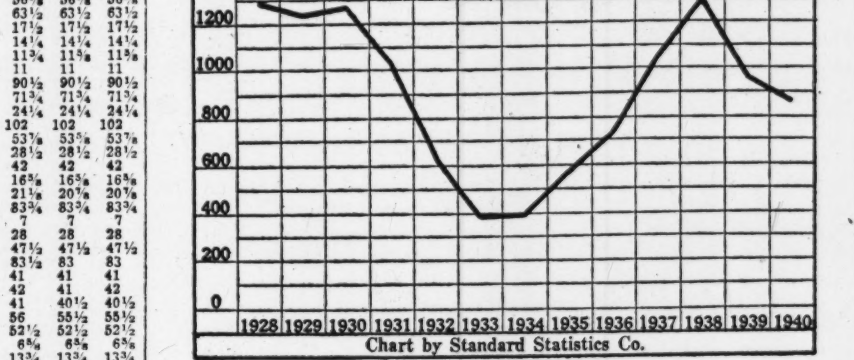
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## Upward Trend in Corporation Income Tax Collections Seen

CORPORATION INCOME TAX COLLECTIONS

(Fiscal Years Ended June 30—Millions of Dollars)

Chart by Standard Statistics Co.



Prepared for The Christian Science Monitor

Whether higher rates of industrial activity will be translated into higher earnings depend very largely on what Congress chooses to do about taxes. The new revenue act, increasing the normal corporate income tax rate from 18 per cent to 19 per cent on earnings above \$25,000, is not much of a burden, and on the basis of present tax laws corporations generally would probably report substantially higher profits for 1940 than for 1939.

The trend of taxation on corporations has been steadily upward for many years. As the accompanying chart shows, income taxes of corporations alone in the 1938 fiscal year were above those of 1928-29-30, although earnings in 1936 and 1937 fell considerably short of the peaks of the late 1920's. The recent increase in the normal tax rate and the proposed additional taxes are but continuing a trend that has long been in evidence.

## Standard Gas-SEC Hearings Attract Varied Interests

By Harold Fleming

Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—For people who can find their way through the intricacies of an old-fashioned utility holding company system, hearings which start at the SEC's offices this week over alleged banker domination of the old Standard Gas system will prove of interest.

They may prove of further interest politically in view of the fact that prior to Edward J. Flynn's ascension there were repeated stories that Leo Crowley would be made Chairman of the Democratic National Committee to replace Jim Farley. Mr. Crowley has, since the turn of the year, been Chairman of the Standard Gas & Electric Co. Times are indeed changed when not only is the Presidential candidate on one side of the fence a former high utility official, but a democratic stalwart, whom many expected to be chairman of the national committee of the other side, is chairman of a utility system which is a prominent arm of the government is now preparing to investigate on the ground that it is, or was, banker-dominated.

The above phrase "is or was" is of high and leading importance to the bankers involved, for in effect they are being threatened with a virtual death-sentence on their existence as investment bankers on the ground of an alleged dominance of the system in the past which they are willing—nay eager—to prove no longer exists.

## Gist of Hearings

The gist of the hearings is that the SEC says to the bankers: "We have, as a result of rifting your files for years, reason to believe you once dominated the Standard utility system. That would make you a holding company under the law."

And the bankers have been answering, in effect, "Please don't do that. We admit that we once bought into the system, and did get in on the financing for a time. But it's unlikely that we'll get much of that business in the future. In fact we might even be willing to promise never to look at it again. We're not only 'good' now in your sense of the word but we've been 'good' for some time. We're forced by circumstances to be 'good' anyway in the future. We have no intention of staying out of the whole Standard picture. Please don't try to now for past sins, because if you find we're legally a holding company, which of course we aren't in fact, then we'll just have to go out of business as investment bankers. You're threatening us with a death-sentence by reading the law back into the past."

So the SEC says, "Well, maybe so, but we can't do otherwise. We've got to go ahead. You'll have to appear."

Or before the background is stated, a brief who's who is necessary.

The top company in the Standard "system" used to be United States Electric Light & Power Company, hereinafter called USELP.

It controlled the Standard Light & Power Company; in fact all it did was to own SLP stock and a few miscellaneous holdings down the line.

Standard Light & Power controlled Standard Gas & Electric Power Company.

And Standard Gas & Electric owned or controlled a lot of operating companies.

Along in 1935 or 1936 USELP went broke. That is to say, it borrowed about \$12,000,000 from the Chase and other banks, hooking its holding of SLP and a few other items. Chase got tired and announced it would put the SLP stock on the auction block.

Bank Bailed Out

Enter the investment bankers. A half dozen houses, including the present Blair & Co.; Schroder, Rockefeller & Co.; Emanuel & Company; A. C. Allen & Co.; W. C. Langley & Co.; and Granbery, Marache & Lord, decided this was a business opportunity. These were medium to small-sized investment bankers, who have not the pickings small since federal regulation began; for federal regulation has in practice been fairly easy on the great big

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In the News

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**Abrial, Admiral Jean Marie** (zhān mā-rē' ā-brē-āl')—Newly appointed French Governor of Algeria under the Pétain Government.

**Alibert, Raphael** (rā-fā-ēl' ā-lē-bār')—Minister of Justice in the Pétain Government of France.

**Brun, Eske** (ēs-kē brōn)—Governor of Northern Greenland.

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**Giornale d'Italia** (jōr-nā-lā dē-tā-lī-yā)—Journal of Virginio Gayda, often reflecting the views of Premier Mussolini.

**Gruia, Ion** (yōn grōo-yā)—Newly appointed Rumanian Minister of Justice.

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**Leon, George** (gyōr-gē lē-on')—Rumanian Minister of Finance, Foreign Trade, National Economy, and Agriculture.

**Seavenius, Eric** (ā-rīk skā-vā-nī-ōs)—Recently appointed by King Christian of Denmark, to form a new government.

**Stettinius, Edward** (stē-tīn-ī-us)—Member of the U. S. National Defense Commission.

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**Buenos Aires** (bwā-nōs ī-rās or bō-nōs ār-ēs)—Capital of Argentina.

**Caribbean Sea** (kā-rē-bē-ān or kā-rē-bē-ān)—Sea between the West Indies and Central and South America.

**Guatemala** (gwā-tā-mā-lā)—Republic of Central America.

**Salsburg** (zālts'-bōork)—City of Austria, scene of the conference between the German Foreign Minister and representatives of the Bulgarian and Rumanian governments.

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- Across
- Who is the native boy of Kipling's "Jungle Book"?
  - What was pseudonym of Jacques Anatole Thibault?
  - Who is a Bible character in Milton's "Paradise Lost"?
  - What metal do you associate with Midas?
  - What noun suffix is equivalent to "ness"?
  - Brothers Dromio of Shakespeare's play are what?
  - What kind of silk is not spun or twisted?
  - Debtor (abbr.).
  - What is a snake of tropical America?
  - What is relationship of Tom to hardware merchant in Dickens' "Hard Times"?
  - What is third note of scale?
  - What is most prominent in a giraffe?
  - What suffix denotes "belonging to"?
  - Who was author of "Indiana"?
  - Where is Santee River (abbr.)?
  - In speaking of Biblical Eldad, what possessive pronoun would you use?
  - Myrna gave its name to a kind of what?
  - Symbol for lead is what?
  - What is a river of North Carolina?
  - How many kittens lost their mittens?
  - What do you call ball or weight of a pendulum?
  - What is witch's hut in opera "Hansel and Gretel"?
  - What is a river of India?
  - What was relationship of Abiluh to Moses?
  - Who was author of "Absalom and Achitophel"?
- Down
- Who milked cow with crumpled horn?
  - Stettin, Germany, is on what river?
  - Mars (abbr.).
  - What State is between Minnesota and Missouri?
  - Would you like have ears, ears, or fms?
  - Where is Drammen (abbr.)?
  - What bivalve mollusk lives partially or wholly buried in sand or mud?
  - Who is hero of Goldsmith's ballad "The Hermit" (poet)?
  - Charles Sherwood Stratton was better known as what?
  - What is a silver coin of Peru?
  - Who wrote "Ray of the Last Minutest"?
  - Would you plant, roast, or crown the akong?
  - What coins would you spend in India?
  - What is a long-tailed monkey of Indian region?
  - What is 22nd letter of Greek alphabet?
  - What Greek goddess corresponded to Roman Aurora?
  - Who was Roger Allan Poe born?
  - Who is George Osborne's faithful friend in "Vanity Fair"?
  - What was the small violin formerly used by dancing masters?
  - Mixed type is what?
  - Horace dwelt in what (sing.)?
  - The rose is said to be sweeter in what?
  - What New England State (abbr.)?
  - What suffix forms adverbs?

(Answer Block Appears Among the Advertisements)

## Daily Quotation

NO man ever did a designed injury to another, but at the same time he did a greater to himself.—HOME.

## In Lighter Vein

## A Following

Nixon: "By the way, what is your profession?"  
Dixon: "Mine is not a profession, it is a pursuit. I am a debt collector."—El Suplemento.

## Rubbing It In

Two magistrates were summoned for exceeding the speed limit. When they arrived at court there were no other magistrates present, so they decided to try each other. No. 1 went on the Bench and the case proceeded.

"You are charged with exceeding the speed limit. Do you plead guilty or not guilty?"

"Guilty."

"You will be fined five shillings."

Then they changed places and again the plea was "guilty."

"Hm," was the response.

"These cases are becoming far too common. This is the second we have had this morning. You will be fined 30 shillings!"—Tit-Bits.



Tit-Bits  
Wife: "Dramatic Society or no Dramatic Society, if they ask you to take the part of the sheik, Henry, it's 'No'!"

## Where Would You Find—

- The Triborough Bridge?
- The Northern Spargies?
- The largest city in Connecticut?
- Oaxaca?
- The Executive Office of the President of the United States?
- A butte?
- The Blackwell Tunnel?
- Goucher College?
- A city known as the "Venice of the Netherlands"?
- The state of which Indian Territory is now a part?

(Answers appear on this page.)

## How He Knew

Tom: How big is New York?"  
Dick: "Very, very big! Why there was a circus in town while I was there and we didn't even know it until Uncle Walter read the papers!"

## Still on First Tee

Garbed in leather jerkin, plus-fours, studded shoes, and golf gloves, the stranger strolled from the club-house and engaged a caddy to carry his bag of many clubs.

Selecting his driver on the first tee, he addressed the ball confidently, took a mighty swing, and gazed far ahead to discover the ball's flight. But he looked in vain, for the ball had not been disturbed from its calm repose at his feet. Again he tried, and again he failed.

After his third attempt, the golfer turned to the poker-faced caddy and remarked:

"Difficult course this, isn't it?"—Wall Street Journal.

## Daily Anecdote

## Monument and Guidepost

When Sir John Carr was in Glasgow, about the year 1807, he was asked by the magistrate to give his advice concerning the inscription to be placed on the Nelson Monument, then just completed. Sir John recommended this brief record: "Glasgow to Nelson."

"Just so," said one of the natives; "and as the town of Nelson's close at hand, might we not just say—'Glasgow to Nelson, six miles'; an' so it might serve for a monument an' a milestone too."

## Where Would You Find—

- A suspension bridge over the East River, New York City; completed 1936; 3,300 feet long.
- A division of the Grecian Archipelago containing Sisyros and other islands.
- Barford, with a population of 164,072 (1930).
- A state in southwestern Mexico on the Pacific coast.
- A three-story structure at the West End of the White House, Washington, D. C.; added in 1892 to accommodate the office force of the President.
- A conspicuous hill found in the western United States.
- Under the river Thames, England; opened 1887; 1½ miles long.
- Baltimore, Maryland.
- Amsterdam, because of its canals.
- Oklahoma.

## ?—Write Your Own Caption—?



Monitor Camera Club from Charles H. Saylor, Halstead, Kansas.

Readers are invited to submit captions for this picture; and on Monday, August 19, the best 10, with names of senders, will be published on this page. A postal card addressed to the Daily Features Editor will serve.

A Verse  
for Today...

Rejoice not against me,  
O mine enemy: when I  
fall, I shall arise; when I  
sit in darkness, the LORD  
shall be a light unto me.  
—MICAH 7:8.

## Geographical Oddities

The wettest spot on the face of the earth is the windward (north-east) slope of Mount Waialeale (Hawaiian for "rippling water") on the Hawaiian island of Kauai. Here the average annual rainfall is 500 inches—but the figures are seldom given out in terms of inches. They're more comprehensible in terms of feet or yards!

Compare Mount Waialeale, where it almost never stops raining, with Death Valley, in California, where it almost never really rains at all. In Death Valley the average annual rainfall is three tenths of an inch—and, sometimes, six or seven completely rainless years must be averaged into several "unusually rainy" years to get even this scanty average.

Did You  
Ever Wonder

What "Mercator's Projection" Means on Maps?

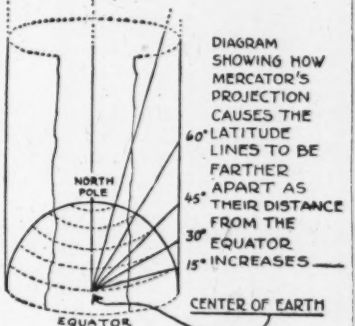
This world on which we live is round like a ball, in consequence of which it is a problem of no mean magnitude for the map maker to represent the proportions and shapes of the seas and land on a flat sheet of paper. There are various "projections" or ways in which maps can be drawn.

Gerardus Mercator, a 16th century Flemish mathematician and geographer, devised the projection which bears his name. In this method for showing the world's surface characteristics, the earth is imagined to be enclosed in a cylinder tangent to the earth at the equator.

The outlines of the various geographic features are then drawn as though projected on this cylinder by lines radiating from the center of the earth. This method of projection results in a fairly accurate picture of areas close to the equator, but the amount of distortion increases rapidly as the distance north or south of the equator increases and the north and south poles cannot be shown at all on such a map.

In a map made according to Mercator's projection, North America seems enormously larger than South America. This is because the largest part of North America lies farthest from the equator and is consequently most exaggerated as the result of the distortion, while the largest part of South America lies nearest the equator and is least exaggerated because of distortion.

In spite of the faulty picture Mercator's projection presents of areas toward the top and bottom of the map, it is a valuable aid to navigation. This is because both the meridians of longitude and the parallels of latitude are straight lines and they all cross at right angles. The meridians are at equal intervals along the equator, but the parallels of latitude become farther and farther apart as their



distance from the equator increases. The chief value of Mercator's projection for navigating charts is that the mariner's compass course between any two points on the

"I Record only  
the Sunny Hours"

## Vacation Opportunities

Los Angeles

This city's Playground and Recreation department, to encourage wider public appreciation of the out-of-doors, has launched a movement whereby thousands of children and adults will be offered inexpensive and complete outings.

Through more than 250 hobby projects dealing with birds and wild life, the study of hillside shrubs and trees, and flowers and garden pets, the vacationists will become more nature conscious. Amateur geological field trips, astronomy and kindred subjects are to be included. Camping, hiking, horseback trips and other activities which have their locale in Southern California's vast mountain wildernesses will be promoted.

The outings are to be furnished at actual cost at the city's two forest retreats: Camp Seely, altitude 2,450 feet, in the San Bernardino Mountains, and Camp High Sierra, altitude 8,400 feet, in the Mammoth Lake region.

Guests at the municipal mountain playgrounds are housed in rustic comfortable, individual cabins, each a snug little cottage amid the pines and fragrant cedars.

## Three-fourths Water

White potatoes are approximately 76 per cent water, 20 per cent starch, one per cent ash, 0.5 per cent cellulose, 0.4 per cent sugar, and 0.1 per cent fat, states "Industrial and Engineering Chemistry."

## Peanut Insulation

A new insulation material from peanut hulls is pronounced almost as efficient as cork and cheaper to produce.

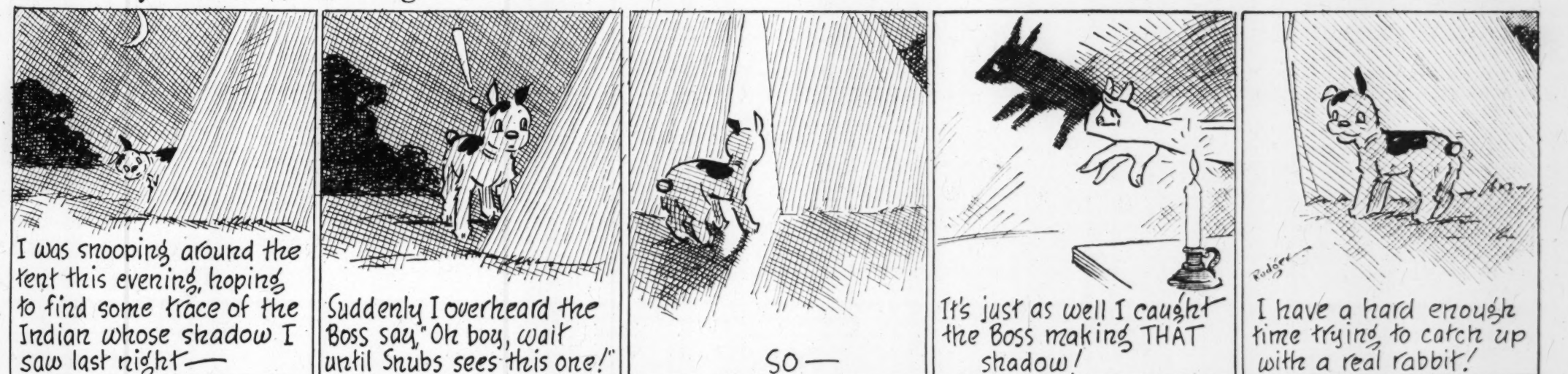
chart is always a straight line. However, this type of projection is not suitable for charts covering too great an area, except when the extent of latitude is slight or when the whole area charted is not more than 30° from the equator.  
—W. P. Keasbey

## Tubby and Buddy &amp; Co.—'Nough Said



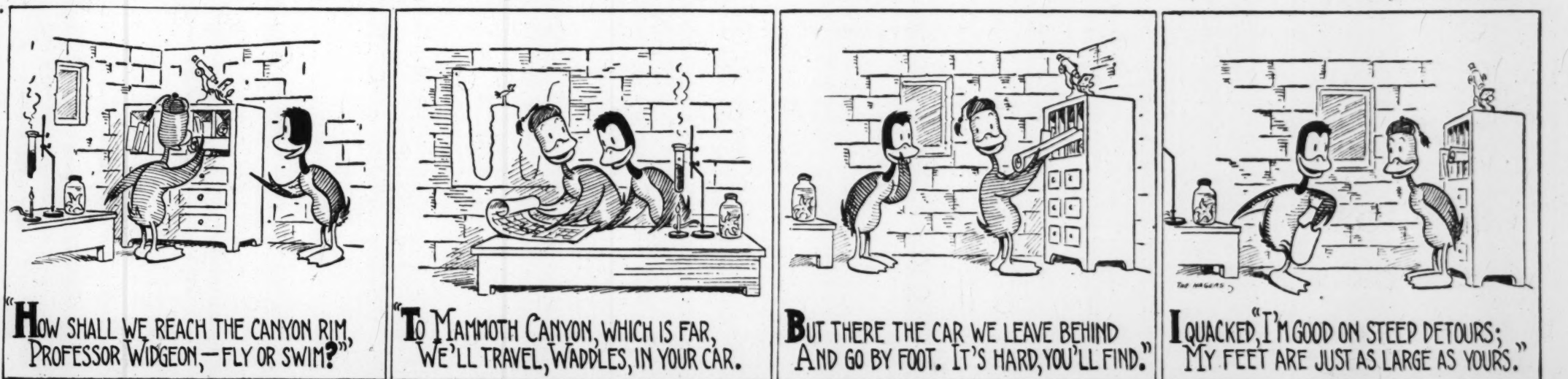
By LE PELLEY

## The Diary of Snubs, Our Dog—So, That's It!



By RODGERS

## The Adventures of Waddles—If It's a Question of Footwork—



By THE HAGERS



## Editorials

## Pershing and Lindbergh

The great issue of the hour for Americans—whether to lend aid to the opponents of Nazism or seek some means of co-operating with Germany—has been ably presented from opposing sides by General Pershing and Colonel Lindbergh. If citizens will lay aside personal prejudices or hasty condemnation and examine both speeches they will be better prepared for intelligent decision.

This newspaper has frequently stated its own opinion that Colonel Lindbergh is mistaken. But he should have a fair hearing. Indeed, for the very reason that he voices unpopular doctrine, Americans—if they are to maintain freedom of speech and of thought—should examine the argument he offers. The heart of this is that the war is primarily a struggle to see whether Germany or Britain will be dominant in Europe and that the United States can "co-operate" with the Nazis if they win.

Wise statesmanship will take all these arguments into account. But the more closely the Lindbergh case is examined the more plainly do certain "blind spots" appear. The struggle in the world today is much more than the usual war between two nations. On the side merely of power, it involves every section of the globe. Consider, for instance, the effect of Britain's posi-

tion in relation to Japanese-American relations, or defense of the Monroe Doctrine, or American naval necessities.

And on the side of ideas, the hearts of the American people have told them the difference—a difference which Colonel Lindbergh surely overlooks when he intimates that the Germany of today and the United States are parts of a common civilization. The Germany and the Germans which were indeed an ornament to Western civilization are submerged today. It is not that civilized Germany but Nazism and its denial of freedom of thought, speech, and trade with which America is asked to co-operate.

We don't believe it can be done. We think General Pershing sees far more clearly when he says:

It is a war against the civilization that we know. It is a revolution against all the values which we have cherished and which we wish our children to cherish in the future. It is a revolution which denies the dignity of man and which banishes the hope of brotherhood and comradeship on earth. We can see it developing right before our very eyes.

The Nazi system denies fundamental concepts of man's nature on which the United States has been built. Totalitarianism never has been accepted voluntarily by men or nations schooled in freedom and it cannot tolerate them. It wars with their very nature.

placed on expenditures during this period of budget consideration and passage.

Going a bit further than it has previously, the Bureau recommends that the Mayor of Boston be given what amounts to veto power over the school budget. It is pointed out that the Mayor is usually held responsible politically for school spending, and that it is only fair to give him some authority in this important spending.

The Bureau's recommendations are not drastic. They fall short of providing an ideal budget, but their adoption would represent a substantial forward step.

## The Cities Stand Still

Population figures from the 1940 census show that six out of the largest twelve American cities have actually lost rather than gained inhabitants during the last ten years. New York, Chicago, Detroit, Los Angeles, Baltimore, and Washington made gains while Philadelphia, Cleveland, St. Louis, Boston, Pittsburgh, and San Francisco registered losses. Taking in the next dozen cities, a larger proportion of gains is recorded, but in most of these the ratio of increase is not large.

A great deal is explained by the movement of urban workers to the more pleasant residential areas of the suburbs, which has been going on during the motor era. Possibly, too, the decentralization of industry has been going on more successfully and widely than its advocates have supposed. But the rise of Washington from fourteenth place to eleventh connotes a centralization and growth of government which is more questionable in value.

If it were certain that the apparent cessation of growth or even decline in the largest urban centers was accompanied by corresponding increase and spread of population in the portions of the country where room exists for more spacious living, one could be better pleased. But middle western regions with already comparatively low ratios of persons per square mile fell behind in the redistribution of congressional representation after the 1930 census, and this year one of the newest States, Oklahoma, shows a loss of population.

Making allowances for shifting and migrations, the overall fact appears that the rate of population increase for the United States is materially falling off. This has connotations as to a not-so-rapidly-expanding market for real estate and manufactured commodities and as to the presence of a larger percentage of more mature voters in the national economy. But besides these points it signifies something as to family life and customs in the United States. This has raised among students of the problem a question whether the rearing of children is receiving its due share of attention by those equipped to give them a wholesome background.

St. Louis police have forbidden wedding party motorcades driving through town with motor horns blowing. What would they say to "Here Comes the Bride" on a super-loud speaker?

## Just Starting In to Harden Up



Donahy in the Cleveland Plain Dealer

## Barnum Brought Me Over

## Breaking Into Broadway—XXIII

While I was chatting in the Green Room Club with Madison Corey, general manager to Henry W. Savage, the producer of "The Merry Widow," he asked me if I had ever thought of breaking into the theatrical game. Could I translate plays? The Colonel, as everyone called Savage, had just returned from France with the American and Canadian rights of production of "Madame X." He had brought with him the French promptbook containing the text of the play, and wanted it translated. It sounded interesting.

There was an interview with Mr. Savage and I took home the promptbook. It contained besides the text, of course, all the "business" and directions of the stage director who had put the melodrama on in France. The "business" not only had to be translated but transposed because stage directions on the Continent are the opposite of those in America. "Right" and "Left" stage here mean right and left of a person on stage looking out over the footlights. In France it is the reverse.

The Colonel liked my translation and, with some slight adaptation it was used for the version of "Madame X" in the United States. Savage gave it a splendid cast and the play made him a pocketful of money. It still goes over big in stock companies. Many a time I have watched women in the audience nervously tearing at their gloves and seen men furtively wiping away the rebellious tear during the heart-breaking scene in the courtroom where the brilliant young lawyer defends, all unknowing, the sad, drab outcast who is his own mother.

After this translation was completed it appeared that Mr. Savage wanted someone to read manuscripts as well as translate plays, and he offered me a staff position. Therefore, four weeks later I folded my tent and quietly, more or less, stole away from the circus to enter the service of the Broadway producer who, in the early 1900's, was a power along New York's strident Great White Way. When I shook the sawdust of the circus from my shoes everyone told me I would some day return. I had inhaled the scent of the tanbark too long. Once a circus man, always—, I did not return, have never been to a performance since, although I will admit that twice I have slipped away late nights and unseen in some dim freight yard stayed long after midnight down at the loading-runs to watch the sweating razzle-dazzle silhouettes as they bent to their Cyclopean task of loading the Ringling Brothers Circus.

The job of reading play manuscripts for Savage wasn't any sinecure. They poured into his office at the rate of about three a day. The impression made on me then, and one which has never changed much, was that every human being except myself, at some moment or other, grinds out a play. From every walk of life they came, from grocery clerks and country parsons, from telephone girls and bartenders, bank presidents and actors. Illiteracy seemed to be no bar. Often the thing that impelled me to read them conscientiously to the end was sheer admiration for the pluck of persons to whom the trick of writing anything at all must have been painful. It would be fine, of course, if at this point one could cite noble examples of such limitations overcome, resulting in the box-office nuggets of gold of which theatrical producers dream. Alas, if such exist, they didn't drop into the Savage letter-box.

But it may be a crumb of comfort to budding playwrights to know the careful consideration manuscripts received in the Savage office as, indeed, in all managerial offices. As junior reader I was the eliminator. That is, I threw out those—the sadly great majority—which lacked all element of possible production. Those that passed

were then turned over to different stage directors for their verdict. Emerging victoriously from those portals of the higher criticism, they came back to me. Each time the Colonel's bag was packed for a journey or voyage—he commuted to Europe as Bostonians do to Brookline—I threw in a half-dozen or so of those selected efforts for his perusal and appraisal.

WILLIAM R. MACDONALD

(Continued on this page this day each week)

## National Defense Steps Along

AN INTIMATE MESSAGE FROM WASHINGTON

By Joseph G. Harrison

It became clear at President Roosevelt's week-end press conference that the White House is going to be extremely touchy on the subject of national defense progress. Waving a sheaf of newspaper clippings above his head, the President called them examples of black sheet journalism and said that if the reporters responsible were interested they could learn their mistakes by a visit to the office of Stephen T. Early, White House press secretary.

Expecting to find that the offending papers had done nothing less than reveal some carefully guarded military secret, such as the design of the Army's famous bomb-sight, newspapermen found that the Presidential ire had been roused by charges that the defense program was slow in getting under way, that vital orders were not being let and that Government red-tape was hindering private production. Since these charges and counter-charges seem likely to recur as the Presidential campaign waxes warm, it may be worth while to winnow a few salient points regarding national defense from the crop of figures, plans, programs, authorizations, appropriations and conferences which has enveloped Washington since the huge current armament program got under way last May.

Perhaps the first point to be made in any evaluation of national defense progress is that it is still too early to draw any hard and fast conclusions. Congress is still in the midst of appropriating or authorizing military and naval programs that will amount to well over \$10,000,000,000 during the current year. Those responsible for the careful expenditure of this vast sum of money have not yet finished their studies as to where the money can be spent most advantageously. Nobody knows for sure if, where, or how soon a shortage of skilled labor may develop.

These major uncertainties, coupled with the countless details which must be worked out and any one of which might temporarily halt a major defense project, make it inadvisable, according to most observers here, to say that national defense is not moving forward as rapidly and efficiently as might be expected.

This, certainly, is the view of the National Defense Advisory Commission, made up of prominent American industrialists, financiers, scholars, and labor leaders, who are working without compensation and with no political axes to grind. On several occasions William S. Knudsen, head of the production division, and Edward R. Stettinius, head of the raw materials procurement di-

vision, have stated that the national defense program was proceeding faster and more favorably than they had believed possible at first.

Although there may be some confusion in the ranks of the aviation industry over just how far Great Britain will participate in the industry's expansion program and over how many planes will be shipped abroad, Mr. Knudsen's report to the President that \$1,800,000,000 worth of defense material and machinery was being currently worked upon does not seem to indicate that the Government is encountering any serious difficulty in letting its orders. At present the only major bottleneck that seems likely to develop and to defy solution for some time is that in shipbuilding caused by a lack of construction facilities. The Navy is known to be working night and day on this problem and Congress will soon make available large sums which will be immediately used to expand existing yards and build new ones.

Consequently progress is also reported in the procurement of strategic raw materials, in which the Reconstruction Finance Commission is playing a major part. Those close to the working of the defense commission say that this procurement of reserve stocks is providing an interesting example of how red tape can be eliminated when necessary.

An American agent in some foreign country spots a large stock of some strategic material—say, manganese—which the United States needs and which is for sale. The agent notifies the RFC, which, if it approves, places the necessary funds at the agent's disposal. Meanwhile, the RFC notifies the Maritime Commission, which makes sure that a freighter is available to pick up the material at the earliest possible moment. Thus, hidden behind the Corporation's financial reports, is an example of inter-departmental speed and co-operation that is a good indication of America's ability and determination to create an adequate defense.

It was from a background of such successes, rather than a view of the bottlenecks and delays that President Roosevelt spoke on Friday. Leaving aside all criticism and praise that may spring from purely political sources, it seems certain, however, that the White House will hear charges of incompetence and delay directed at its armament efforts. But so long as Messrs. Knudsen and Stettinius, neither one of whom has ever been charged with "wild-eyed radicalism" or as being a "visionary," continue to express satisfaction with defense progress, neither the White House nor the country-at-large will need to worry greatly.

## Letters to The Christian Science Monitor

## "The Injustice of the Versailles Treaty"

TO THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR:

Many people will have read with interest the Editorial Letter to the Readers of The Christian Science Monitor, but I think there is one thing mentioned that will have many readers stop and think. In two places you mention "the injustice of the Versailles Treaty." Some little time ago, over the English wireless, those who listened in heard a very interesting talk given by an Edinburgh professor, a Mr. Sinclair, on the propaganda given out year by year from Germany about the injustices of the Versailles Treaty and how, unconsciously, little by little, it has mesmerized the public into accepting that statement. He added that comparatively very few people had ever read the Treaty for themselves or knew anything about it and that, therefore, the statement was carried on from one person to another without the slightest knowledge of what was being talked about.

A number of months ago I happened to read an article in the Lecture Recorder, giving the views of Mr. Lloyd George and Lord Lothian on the subject and stating pretty clearly that as a matter of fact the Versailles Treaty was exceedingly lenient and fair.

The world at large suffered from the war of 1914-18. Germany suffered too, but with its suffering it cherished self-pity and self-justification to such an extent that when another opportunity occurred it fell an easy victim to the mesmerism which has now landed Germany and the world in another war. But does that signify that the Versailles Treaty was an unjust one? E. H. S. London

## Boston's Left-Wing Eagle

TO THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR:

I should like to add a postscript to the provocative piece in The Christian Science Monitor about the eagle on top of Boston's City Hall. Although Arthur Blakeslee, supervising architect of the United States Treasury, insists that the United States eagle must always face right and the Monitor writer says that this "mystery of the eagle facing left" must be attributed to one sculptor, unknown, lost in the dim memory of the past, who made the first eagle that graced the noble facade of City Hall, I believe that William Boellhoff was really following a well-established and honorable tradition when he made Boston's new eagle facing left, as did its predecessor before the hurricane.

It may not solve the mystery, but it certainly suggests a precedent to know that the eagle faced left on the Old Customs House of Salem which was built on Central Street in 1805 and that the eagle faces left today on the Derby Street Customs House which was built in 1819 and in which Nathaniel Hawthorne had his office. That first eagle, far from being the work of an anonymous artist, was made by Samuel McIntire, the celebrated wood-carver and architect of Salem. That preference rather than accident accounted for this turn of the bird's head in the old Registry of Deeds building is indicated by the fact that McIntire carved the same design of eagle facing left, supporting the Federal shield and holding an olive branch and four arrows in its talons.

Furthermore, this left-wing eagle seems not to have been a unique whim of one Salem artist, but a well-established early American design, for nine Sandwich-Glass cup plates with this patriotic emblem which are on display at the Essex Institute and listed in the library, only the relatively late one of 1831, commemorating the boundary line between the U. S. A. and Canada, has the eagle facing right. The others, beginning with the Fort Pitt eagle of 1758, all look stubbornly to the left. However, the cases of Civil War relics reveal that by that time the eagle was looking officially to the right on United States Army cap boxes and powder flasks.

I have been unable so far to discover why the eagles here are gazing left. Perhaps the one on the Customs House was appropriately designed to face the sea in order to keep his symbolic eye on the incoming ships to Derby Wharf.

DOROTHY LIVINGSTON ULRICH  
Salem, Mass.

## Aroused—to Think

TO THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR:

It is interesting and arousing to read of first-hand experiences of those who have recently been close to the situation in Europe, but it is also inconceivable that thinking persons could believe themselves forbidden to think as they desire. The old saying, "You can lead a horse to water, but you cannot make him drink," could be amplified by this statement, "You may govern a man's actions but you cannot make him think." Thinking is the man himself, his individuality, and

no amount of coercion, circumstances or misery can keep a man from thinking, nor send his thoughts into channels foreign to the type of thinking which that man entertains. Through lack of thinking, mental inertia, many a man has found himself in most unhappy situations, but it is always possible for a man to think his way out of a problem.

Yes, Americans, let us be aroused to our God-given ability to think, and through earnest, active use of this ability, discover what is God's way for us to progress. Let us cease to look to the other fellow to do our thinking for us, no matter how capable he may seem to be, whether it be concerning home, politics, religion, etc. God always provides the answer if we ask Him.

River Forest, Ill. H. V. S.

This newspaper is not responsible for statements or opinions in letters from its readers.

## Mirror of World Opinion

## Biblical Parallel

In the record of the II Chronicles one may find an exactly parallel example to the present German method of suggestion, where the King of the Assyrians, in order to insure his conquests, deliberately suggested to his intended victims in advance, for the purpose of weakening their resistance, the very same arguments that are issuing forth from Germany today. And the lesson is apparently still to be learned.—Mrs. Clarissa Hale Studdert Kennedy in a letter to the Los Gatos (Calif.) Mail-News.

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